FAILED TO IDENTIFY.

Take the Boycott

Speakers Discuss Chinese Agita

tion at Commercial Congress

at Portland.

Urges a Less Stringent Policy

Towards the People of

the Orient.

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 18.—That the better classes of Chinese are discriminated against to an unsuranted extent, and that a less stringent administration of the exclusion law or, if necessary of limited reconstruction is advisable, was urged by speakers on Oriental trade at the second day's session of the trans-Mississippi

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VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 1905. FOR RUSSIA

For Announces Formation

In National Consultative

Assembly.

Preserves the Fundamental

Wegarding Autocratic

Power.

Session to Be Held About

The Middle of January

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PETERSBURG, Aug. 18.—Emperor Nicholas has today anounced the grant to the people of Russia of a national consultative seembly to be formed by electrosentatives from the whole of Imperial manifesto, is published simultaneously and at Moscow, and which will in all the churches of the emdated at Peterhof today and is majority the there or Russia was formed rengthened by the solidarity of opter with the emperor and people is the more of Russia was formed rengthened by the solidarity of opter with the emperor and people is the more of Russia was formed rengthened by the solidarity of opter with the emperor. The contractive manual contractive material tanks, and has constituted in the course of centuries by ing her from all misfortunes at attacks, and has constituted in the course of centuries by ing her from all misfortunes at attacks, and has constituted the present time a pledge of independence, integrity, matellibeling and intellectual de
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preinimary discussion of measures and with the examination of the state budget.

"It is for this reason that, while preserving the fundamental law regarding the autocratic power, we have deemed it well to form a Cosudarstvennala Douma (lower house of the assembly) and to approve the regulations for elections to this douma.

"As regards the participation in the labors of the Cosudarstvennala Douma of delegates from the grand duchy of Finland on questions concerning the empire in general and the grand duchy particularly we will take special measures.

"At the same time we have ordered the minister of the interior to submit immediately for our approbation regulations for the elections to the douma so that deputies may be able to assemble not later than the middle of January 1906.

A New Era

**Emperor Announces Formation** 

of a National Consultative

Still Preserves the Fundamental

Law Regarding Autocratic

First Session to Be Held About

the Middle of January

the emperor with the people, and of the people with the emperor. The concord of the emperor and people is the great moral force which has created Russia in the course of centuries by protecting her from all misfortunes and all attacks, and has constituted up to the present time a pledge of unity, independence, integrity, material well-being and intellectual development. In our manifesto of February 24, 1903, we called to close understanding all the faithful sons of the fatherland in order to protect the organization of the state by establishing on a firm basis the domestic life of the empire; and tren devoted ourselves to the task of co-ordinating elective public institutions with governmental authorities and of removing the disagreements existing between them which had reacted so disastrously on the normal conditions of our national life.

"The autocratic emperors, our an-

our national life.

"The autocratic emperors, our ancestors, certainly had that object in view, and the time has come to follow out their good intentions and to summon

from the whole of Russia to take constant and active part in the elab-oration of lews, thereby attaching to the higher state institutions a special consultative body entrusted with the preliminary discussion of measures and with the examination of the state budget.

'In invoking the blessing of the Lord "In invoking the blessing of the Lordon the labors of institutions estabhished by us, with unshakable confidence in the grace of God and the infallibility of the grent historical destunies reserved by divine Providence
for our beloved fatherland, we firmhighly and with the help of God Almighty, and with the combined efforts of all her sons, Russia will
emerge triumphant from the trying
ordeals through which she is now
passing and will be born again in the
strength, the greatness and the glory of her history, extending through thousand years.

"Given at Peterhof this 19th day of August, in the year of grace 1905, and the eleventh year of our reign. (Signed) "NICHOLAS."

Powers of Assembly.

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St. Petersburg, Aug. 19.—Many of the main features governing the elections to and the proceedings and powers of the national assembly which the Emperor has now ordered to be constituted have already been cabled in these despatches. The paragraph of the first section sets out the purpose of the new legislative body as follows: "The Douma is estimated for the preliminary study and discussion of legislative propositions, which

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wholesale London firm."

China Needs Development.

barely twenty years ago it was no more than China's. If China's trade is developed to \$5 per capita, we would then have a trade of \$2,00,000,000 per an mum. To prepare the way for winning our share of this increase is surely worth our best efforts."

The marvelous growth of the Oriental and Pacific trade of this country, now amounting to \$350,000,000, was pointed out particularly, and stress had upon the fact that our exports to China are double our imports; and the speaker advised his hearers that harsh measures that may tend to injure such a mighty traffic must be well considered.

Mr. Barrett did not discuss the merits or demerits of the Chinese exclusion law. So far as the Japanese are concerned he believes that the demand for labor in Japan, Korea, Manchuria, Sakhallen and Formosa, together with losses of able bodied Japanese in battle, will follow the ending of the war, and that for years to come there will be only an inconsiderable proportion that will seek entrance to the United States.

F. B. Thurber, of New York city, president of the United States.

inal English receipt in the possession United States.
F. B. Thurber, of New York city, president of the United States Export Association, snoke on "Future Markets in the Orient."
Mr. Thurber introduced his subject by of the vendors from the finest Jamaica ginger, specially selected for them for the last fifteen years by a leading

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Substance Of Terms

Present Status of Peace Negotiations Is Now Clearly Stated.

Deadlock on Question of Indemnity and Cession of Sakhallen.

A Disagreement Over the Surrender of the Russian Warships.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 18.—
The substance and present status of the Japanese terms are as follows:

1. Russia's recognition of Japan's "preponderant influence" in Korea, with a right to preserve order in the civil administration, give military and financial advice to the emperor of Korea, Japan binding herself to preserve the territorial integrity of the kingdom, and (it is believed) the policy of the "open door." Accepted.

2. Mutual obligation to evacuate Manchuria. Accepted.

3. Japanese obligations to restore in Manchuria Chinese sovereignty and civil administration. Accepted.

4. Mutual obligation to respect in the future the "territorial integrity and administrative entity" of China in Manchuria and to maintain the principal of equal opportunity for the industry and commerce of all mations

minsula, including Port Artiut, Dainy and the Blonde and Elliot islands. Accepted.

7. The surrender to China by arrangement with Japan of the branch of the Chinese Eastern railroad running south from Harbin to Port Arthur and New Chwang, together with the retrocession of all privileges obtained under the concession of 1898. Accepted in principle; final agreement deferred.

8. The limitation of the Chinese concession obtained by Mr. Bothstein and Prince Uhkomsky in 1896, under which the "cut-off" through northern Manchuria was built to connect the Trans-Siberian and the Ussur railroads, to provide for the retention of the ownership and operation of the line by the Eastern, but with provisions for the eventual substitution of Chinese imperial police for Russian railroad guards. Accepted.

9. Remuneration for the cost of the war. Refused and action deferred.

10. The surrender of the Russian warships interned in neutral far eastern waters. Disagreement and action deferred.

11. The limitation of Russia's naval powers on Pacific waters. Deferred.

val powers on Pacific waters. Deferred.

12. The grant to the citizens of Japan of the right to fish in waters of the Russian littoral from Vladivostok north to the Behring sea. Agreed upon.

Official Bulletin.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 18.—The following is the official bulletin of the afternoon session: "Not being able to arrive at an agreement on article eleven, the conference passed to the discussion of the last article, which has been settled unanimously. The next sitting will take place on Tuesday, August 22, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon."

The statement of the afternoon session was made public by Mr. Sato when he returned to the hotel.

Adjourned Till Tuesday.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 18.—The

# SHOT FEMALE POACHER.

Speck Von Sternburg, a brother of the German ambassador at Washington, shot a female poncher in mistake for a deer in Count Vosselberg's preserves in Neugattersben. The woman has since died. Baron Sternburg has voluntarily surrendered to the police and has been allowed by inderstand why they should be treated differently from corresponding classes of other nations.

The higher classes of China, according to the speaker, are proud of their own peculiar civilization, and that they have not taken the same advantage as was Japan in world political development is no civil the tit does not exist.

# CLYDESDALES FOR CANADA.

Japan in world political development is no sign that it does not exist.

Mr. Barrett minimized the so-called 'yellow peril,' terming it a 'bogie,' and thinks the day will come when it may become a 'yellow blessing.'

He called attention to the fact that synchronously with Japana's industrial development she has become a greater purchasing nation. Since China has commenced to foster her own in the trade ports, her trade with the United States has grown to a value of \$92,000,000 per annum, triple what it was a decade ago.

China Needs Development. London, Aug. 18.—It is understood that Scotch bred horses for export are in great demand. Last year a larger number of animals were shipped to Canada than had been similarly disposed of in any season since the early eighties, when the trans-Atlantic trade was at its height. This season Canada's requirements are still more extensive and already exports exceed the total of 1904. The shipmeats are to include some of the best show animals of the year. "The crying need," he said, "in the development of trade with China is the increase of her purchasing capacity, her internal resources and the country grid-

# AN INFERNAL MACHINE.

One Sent to New York Banker at His Office Yesterday.

internal resources and the country grid-ironed with railways.

"Provide the Chinese masses with money and they will purchase corres-pondingly with other people. China's foreign trade amounts now to less than \$1 per capita. Japan's to \$7, although barely twenty years ago it was no more than China's. If China's trade is de-veloced to \$5 per capita, we would then New York, Ang. 18.—An explosive package capable of causing death, was sent to Jacob H. Schiff, the banker, today at the office of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., of which he is a member. Schiff was at Bar Harbor today, and when the machine, enclosed in a wooden box about six inches long, was received at his office, clerks immediately sent it to the police.

neithe, enclosed in a wooden box about six inches long, was received at his office, clerks immediately sent it to the police. At first the police reported that the police in the first car, now at the police reported that the affair was a joke. Further investigation by an expert revealed the presence of thirty grains of highly explosive powers arranged so as to fire this charge merely by the ordinary handling of the packing by a cylinder of emery paper lying in contact with both the powder and several matches. The flash of this powder would have discharged the carridges, which had been carefully filled at the dimination ends. Lead slugs were laid beside the bullets to make the discharge were laid the more dangerous. Throughout the unachine there was an oil saturation to inter the matches reach the powder.

The whole mechanism was concealed under a newspaper wrapping of Wall street stock quotations. Mr. Schiff was so one of the financial men who recently visited M. Witte, the Russian envoyal in Russia.

Near San Mateo, Cal.

San Mateo, Cal. Aug. 18.—The stage running between Half Moon Bay and the roller, of the first car, now at the bottom of the river. Five of these canning between Half Moon Bay and the corporation of the river. Five of these canning between Half Moon Bay and the stage and two 32 calibre loaded eartridges and two 32 calibre loaded eartridges and two 32 calibre loaded eartridges and two 32 calibre loaded eartridges. One of the flash of this powder was ordered to throw out the Crystal Springs road, about two miles from San Mateo.

The railroad officials stated last night that they are at a loss to know while from San Mateo. The driver was ordered to throw out the collection of the river. Five of these canning between Half Moon Bay and and two 32 calibre loaded and the Wells, Farya & Co.'s express box, and when he besitated to stop his train before coming to the draw, this being the custom of passenger was ordered to pass the hat, but while doing so another team cannot be the custom of the first ca

BUYING GRAND TRUNK STOCK.

London, Aug. 18.—A city firm of stock brokers are sending out letters, the pur-port being urgent invitations to buy Grand Trunk third preference stock; they als enclose post office telegraph forms, with typewritten instructions to buy Trunk third at best.

### AUTO ACCIDENT.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 18.—Webb Jay was seriously injured at Kenilworth park today in the last race. His auto-mobile went through the fence. Jay's injuries consist of nine broken ribs, a fractured skull and some less serious injuries. He was taken to the hospital

### YELLOW FEVER SITUATION.

New Orleans, Aug. 18.—New cases of yellow fever in New Orleans since 6 p. m. Thursday, 14; total to date, 1,237; deaths today, 1; total deaths, 181. The low death rate from yellow fever in New Orleans is gratifying. Malaria continues to be mixed with the yellow fever list that is reported daily.

AFFAIRS AT OTTAWA.

Edmonton Citizens Ask Stay of Execution in Case of King.

the 22nd.

During July Canada's imports were \$18.479,765, increase \$398,834. Exports totalled \$13,059,449. A decrease of \$813,852, mostly in agricultural products, as compared with July, 1904.

ducts, as compared with July, 1904.

E. M. Macdonald, M.P. for Pictou, N. S., is in the city, and the report is current that he is to be appointed counsel to the national transcontinental rail-way commission. This is a new position, but one that it was generally understood would have to be created before contracts were awarded for construction.

# Hon. Frank Oliver Goes to Dawson

Minister of Interior Leaves Vancouver on the Princess Beatrice.

Important Decision Reached by an Expert on Fire Insurance

ANCOUVER, Aug. 18—Hon.
Frank Oliver, accompanied by
his wife and daughter, arrived
here this morning and left for
Dawson on the steamer Princess Beattrice tonight.

R. W. Hill, manager of the bank-rupt Union Loan and Investment Company, was found guilty of fraud on eight counts today and sentenced to a year's imprisonment.

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It will be of considerable interest to the insuring public to learn that since the reductions of 25 per cent. and 15 per cent. made at the end of May last, on existing rates affecting the mercantile portion of the city, the insurance companies operating this field were satisfied there was no justification for the restrictions made at that time and have impressed upon their various representatives here the necessity of ascertaining definitely what the true conditions of the city of Vancouver are from an insurance standpoint. In order to solve this problem the Association of Fire Underwriters held several meetings, finally deciding in the interest of all parties concerned to secure the services of one of the ablest fire insurance experts on the Pacific coast. Mr. J. C. Stone of Portland was the man selected. After

quate. Mr. Stone's report was sub-mitted to a full meeting of the asso-ciation, when it was almost unani-mously agreed to reinstate the rates in the mercantile district and to adopt his recommendation as to dwell-ing house rates. From Mr. Stone's report it is clear that, at moderate ex-penditure on the part of the city, the present mercantile rates can be ma-terially raduced, and the condition of he city very greatly improved.

# GREAT TIDAL WAVE.

Sydney, N.S.W., Aug. 18.—Confirma-tion of the report that the Marshal isl-ands were visited by a hurricane and tidal wave on June 30, has been received here. One hundred lives were lost. MANAGER SUSPENDED.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 18.—Manager Stahl of the Washington Club received notice today of his suspensior for three days by President Johnson of the American League. The action was taken because of an attack on Umpire Connolly at the close of the game between Cleveland and Washington clubs at Washington several days ago.

### HIGHWAYMAN ROBS STAGE. Mail Pouch and Express Box Rifled

Near San Mateo, Cal.

# Reciprocity Conference

Planning Means of Bettering Trade Relations With Foreign Countries.

Permanent Body Recommended to Be Created by Congress.

Text of Important Resolutions Which Were Also Adopted.

HICAGO, Aug. 18.—The reciprocity conference called to devise means or bettering the trade relations between the United States and foreign countries, has finished the work for which the meeting was called, arranged for a committee to prosecute the plans of the convention and formed a permanent organization, styled as the "American Reciprocal Tariff League." The committee which will consist of fifteen members to be appointed by the chair, was given full power to organize and promote the work for which the con-

Resolutions Adonted.

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The following resolutions were adopted:

"The national reciprocity convention, representing more than 200 agricultural, commercial and industrial associations of the United States by delegates, assembled at Chicago, August 16 and 17, 1905, hereby makes the following declaration of principles:

"Whereas, the agricultural, manufacturing and other industries of this country have expanded to such an extent that they can no longer depend upon the home market for the consumption of their entire product; and

"Whereas, the export trade has become a vital support to many of our fudustries, and

"Whereas, the present commercial attitude of the United States, largely owing to our failure to carry into effect the reciprocity trade provisions of Section IV. of the Dingley law, is antagonizing foreign nations, whose good will we desire and on whom we have hitherto depended as purchasers of our surplus products, therefore be it.

"Resolved, first, That this convention, recognizing the principle of protection as the established policy of our country, advocates reciprocal concessions by means of a dual or maximum and minimum tariff as the one practical method of relieving at this time the strained situation with which we are now confronted.

"Resolved, second, That the question of the schedules and items to be considered in such reciprocal concessions preferably be suggested by a permanent tariff commission to be created by congress and appointed by the President which shall consist of economic, industrial and commercial experts.

"Resolved, third, That it is the sense of this convention that our present tariff affords abundant opnortunity for such

industrial and commercial experts.

"Resolved, third. That it is the sense of this convention that our present tariff affords abundant opportunity for such concessions without injury to industry, trade or the wages of labor.

"Resolved, fourth, That we urge action upon congress at the earliest time possible.

"We recommend that a permanent organization he formed under the style of American Reciprocal Tariff League; and that a committee of fifteen be appointed by the chair to have full power to organize and further prosecute the work for which the convention has assembled.

Missouri: Conrad Kohr, of Montana W. H. Hatton, of Wisconsin, committee

# ANTI-AMERICAN BOYCOTT.

Hong Kong, Aug. 18.—The applica-tion of the Chinese Commercial Union in this city to aneet and discuss the anti-American beyoott has been refused by Sir Matthew Nathan, governor of the colony. SAILED FOR EUROPE.

New York, Aug. 18.—Governor Higgins, of New York, and Mrs. Higgins, sailed today on the steamship Cedric for Europe. The governor said that he would choose some quiet English country village and there settle down for a rest, returning to New York about the middle of September.

# THE TRAIN WRECK.

Estimated that Forty Persons Lost Lives in Disaster.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 18.—Though only ten bodies have been recovered, the latest details of the train wreck indicate that forty is a conservative estimate of the number of dead. It is believed there are between 30 and 35 people in the first car, now at the bottom of the river. Five of these escaped. Others perished in the second coach.

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# T. PETERSBURG, Aug. 18.—Emperor Nicholas has today announced the grant to the people of Russia of a national consultative assembly to be formed by elected representatives from the whole of Russia. The imperial manifesto, which is published simultaneously here and at Moscow, and which will be rered in all the churches of the empire, is dated at Peterhof today and is as follows: which gives a tone and finish to home decorations

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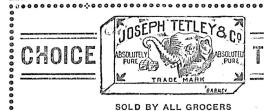
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# News Notes of The Dominion

Typographical Union Adopts Report Recommending Eight Hours.

Union of the Three Maritime Provinces Supported in Yarmouth.

Toronto, Aug. 18 .- The Internation

For Maritime Unions.

For Maritime Unions.
Yarmouth, N. S., Aug. 18.—At the Maritime board of trade annual convention yesterday a resolution was submitted in favor of the union of the three provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotla and Prince Edward Island. Each government is to be asked to arrange for a meeting of representatives to further the question. At the evening session a resolution was manimously adopted favoring the union of British West Indies with Canada.

### COUNT LAMSDORFF.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—(8:45 p. m.)—The foreign office denies categorically and officially the report that Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister has resigned or has attempted to resign.

STRIKE CALLED OFF.

Great Northern Telegraphers Decide

St. Paul, Aug. 18.—The strike of the telegraphers on the Great Northern railway system was efficially called off tonight, the men on that line having voted to return to work. The question of continuing the strike or returning to work is being voted on by the Northern Pacific operators. Mr. Perham of the telegraphers' union said that probably the Northern Pacific operators would vote to continue the strike.

AFFAIRS AT GREENWOOD.

Capitalists Inspecting the Camp's High Grade Mines.

Greenwood, B. C., Aug. 15.—With a view to inspecting the high grade mines of Greenwood camp, in which they are personally interested, a party of capitalists, composed of Captain George J. Grammar, vice-president of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway, Chicago; Colonel L. T. Dickason, coal operator, Chicago; A. T. Hert, Louisville, Ky., and S. D. Mc-Leish of Evansville, Ind., have been spending the day here.

Accompanied by William Balley,

Leish of Evansville, Ind., have been spending the day here.

Accompanied by William Balley, their local representative, the visitors were shown over the Preston and Crescent mines, and all expresed themselves as highly pleased with their investments. Col. L. T. Dickason, who was instrumental in bringing the party out of the Boundary, said to the correspondent of the Colonist: "The results so far achieved in the development of our properties have been highly satisfactory. A contract will be let at once for sinking the shaft on the Preston down to the 150-foot level. A Carload of high grade ore will be sent to the smelter on the 15th. Meanwhile our engineer is preparing plans for the installation of a complete plant so that development at depth may be prosecuted more economically and expedit more economically and expedi-

Toronto, Aug. 18.—The International Typographical Union this morning adopted the report of the committee recommending the eight-hour day law, to go into effect January 1st next. A great strike in the printing trade is inevitable as a result of the action of the convention. Robert C. Lockling, president of the International Bookbinders' Union, and Martin Higgins, president of the National Pressimen's and Assistants' Union, both addressed the convention, promising moral and material support in the coming fight. It was announced that the fight with the Los Angeles Times and cost the union \$33,000, but it was decided to go on with the fight with the Los Angeles Times and the convention authorized the executive to advance what further funds were required.

At the Typographical Union convention yesterday Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor would assist them.

The executive of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association has cabled too the Australian government that the association regrets to learn of any difficulty arising from the efforts of the commonwealth to obtain a correct valuation of the imports from Canadian Oaustralia for the collection of duties, and experses its readiness to assist an expert, should Australia send one, in obtaining the necesary information.

For Maritime Unions.

Varnounth N. S. Avec 18 A 4 the Varnounth N. S

# Local News.

# Trembling in The Balance

Conferences of Peace Plenipo tentlares End in Absolute Fallure.

Unless Sovereigns Now Compromise Dogs of War Will Be Loosed Again.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 18 .- Black pessimism reigns here tonight. The prevailing view is that the peace conference already sealed, that it had ended in failure, and all that now remains is for the ministers to meet on Tuesday, to the ministers to meet on Tuesday, to which day they adjourned this afternoon, after completing the consideration of the Japanese terms, sign the final protocol, go through the conventions and bid each other farewell. In other words, that the meeting Tuesday will be what diplomacy calls the "Seance d'adieu."

But there is still room for hope of a compromise. Neither President Roosevelt nor the powers will see the chance

Just what is being done of is to be done, has not transpired, but in these days with modern means of communication all that can be will be occomplished. King Edward is understood to be now lending a helping hand, and the transciers of the world are known to be exerting all their influences.

Austrian Anarchist Alleged to Have Committed Suicide.

Botzen (Tyrol, Austria), Aug. 10.— Jori, the anarchist, who was arrested while meditating an attempt on the life of the Emperor Francis Joseph during the Emperor's forthcoming visit to Bot-zen, hanged himself in prison today.

THE COAL TESTS.

Progress of Experiments Being Con ducted by Prof. Lowe.

The work at the furnaces on Stor street in connection with Prof. Lowe's coal tests is said to be progressing in a very successful and satisfactory manner. In the absence of Mr. Dunsmuir, who is not expected back before Tuesday next, the comparative tests of coals of varying descriptions to be supplied under his direction are necessarily delayed; but meanwhile experiments are being made with coal from the open market, the results of which excited some curiosity and not a little admiration on the part of a group of gentlemen interested in the product who were on the ground to inspect the output last evening.

could hardly be regarded as contensive, as owing to the lateness of the hour and a desire to recharge the furnaces for the night the ovens were drawn an hour or mere before the allotted time, but for which circumstance the resultant coke output might possibly have been harder and less friable.

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Japanese Are Immovable.

At Tokio and St. Petersburg the final

# STRIKE ORDERED AT FERNIE

NELSON, B. C., Aug. 18.—A special despatch to the Daily News from Fernie tonight states that the following notice has just been posted at different points in Coal Creek: ELSON, B. C., Aug. 18.—A special despatch to the Daily News from Fernic tonight states that the following notice has just

"Brothers: The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company officials having broken all their promises, covenants and contracts entered into between them and the United Mine Workers of America, so that now no contract exists, I therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the international constitution and also by the executive board of District No. 18, United Mine Workers of America, call upon the workmen employed by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company at Coal Creek mines and Fernie coke ovens to cease work and attend a mass meeting at the opera house, Fernie, on Saturday, August 19th, at 10 "(Signed)
"F. H. SHERMAN, a. m., to decide upon action.

"President District No. 18, U. M. W. of A."

The action of the United Mine Workers is causing much uneasiness to business men and the outcome of tomorrow's meeting is awaited with anxiety. The company's side of the dispute has not yet been given.

issue will be decided. The Japanese have been implacable throughout the conference. They have listened and explained, but have not yet yielded an iota of the substance of their original demands. Witte accepted outright seven of the twelve Japanese conditions, one in principle and four, including the main issues, indemnity and Sakhalien he rejected. The other two, limitation of naval power and the surrender of interned warships, might have been arranged had there been any prospect of agreement on the two points upon which are divergence seemed irrevocable.

In the oral discussion, M. Witte yield-

would ever consent to go.

At Tokio it is impossible to tell what view will be taken, peace probably can the indemnity. Vague intimations come from the Japanese side that "the demand for the cost of the war" might be moderated, but that Witte's reply is that he will pay liberally for the maintenance of the Russian prisoners in Japan.

But possession can on ed by the ratification of the Russian prisoners in Japan.

"Not a Kopeck for Tribute."

# REGARDING SAKHALIEN.

Russian Correspondent Gives Views on Japan's Ambition.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 18.-Hav-Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 18.—Having read the statement from a Japanese member of parliament made a few days ago to the Associated Press, giving the attitude regarding Sakhalien, Mr. Alexander E. Briantchainoff, correspondent of the Slovo of St. Petersburg, voicing the Russian exceptions to the statement, said today: "One of the great bars to the conclusion of a treaty of peace so much desired by the whole civilized world is the difference between the plenipotentiaries on the question of in the result of the sittings of the plenipotentiaries has only been to emphasize the position taken by M. Witte in the written reply he presented last Saturday to the Japanese terms.

And now both sides turn to home for the last word before the events of next Tuesday. For the impasse reach did by the plenipotentiaries is recognized to be

Only a Diplomatic Fiction.

In in the interim fresh instructions are received by either side, compromise is yet possible, but the chances are recognized to be slim. So far as the Russian plenipotentiaries are concerned, there hever was a chance of their yielding both indemnity and Sakhalien. The Japanese side that "the definition of the indemnity and Sakhalien without indemnity, was, according to the best inside information, the extreme limit Witte would ever consent to go.

At Tokio it is impossible to tell what riew will be taken, peace probably can be even now secured by the sacrifice on the indemnity. Vague intimations come from the Japanese side that "the definition that Sakhalien is really an organized that Sakhalien. The Japanese pretend that Sakhalien. The Japanese side that Sakhalien. The Japanese pretend that Sakhalien. The Japanese pretend that Sakhalien. The Japanese side that Sakhalien in Reality and organization of criminals. The Japanese side that Washalien. The Japanese side that Sakha



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# Take the Boycott Quite Seriously

(Continued from Page One.)

impressing on his audience the impor-ance, not, he said, of his own state

ance, not, he said, of his own statements, but on the figures which he submitted. In part he said:

"To develop our great resources in fields, forests, mines and factories, give remunerative employment to labor and capital, and prosperity to all of the people of the United States we need to foster our transportation system both on sea and land.

"We need to appreciate that this is the age of steam, electricity, machinery and organization, and the untrammeled American individualism controlling these forces will provide better results than officialism, socialism and communism.

"Our foreign policy should favor the

officialism, socialism and communism.

"Our foreign policy should favor the open door and to get this we should make reasonable concessions in our tariff policy, through reciprocity or otherwise.

"Systematize our consular service on the basis of permanency, promotion and an equal compensation.

"Revise our treaties with Oriental countries so that while protecting American labor against 'the yellow peril' it will give both American labor and American capital the 'yellow opportunity' to suppy millions of Asiaties with what they want to buy and with what they want to sell."

Concer to Tackle It.

Conger to Tackle It. Conger to Tackle It.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 18.—Edwin H. Conger, of lowa, formerly United States minister to China, and since last April the American ambassador to Mexico, will return in the near future, if present plans are carried into effect, to China. His mission will be of a semi-diplomatic nature, the specific purpose of which will be to allay, if possible, the agitation aroused in parts of the Chinese empire against the use by Chinese of American products.

products.

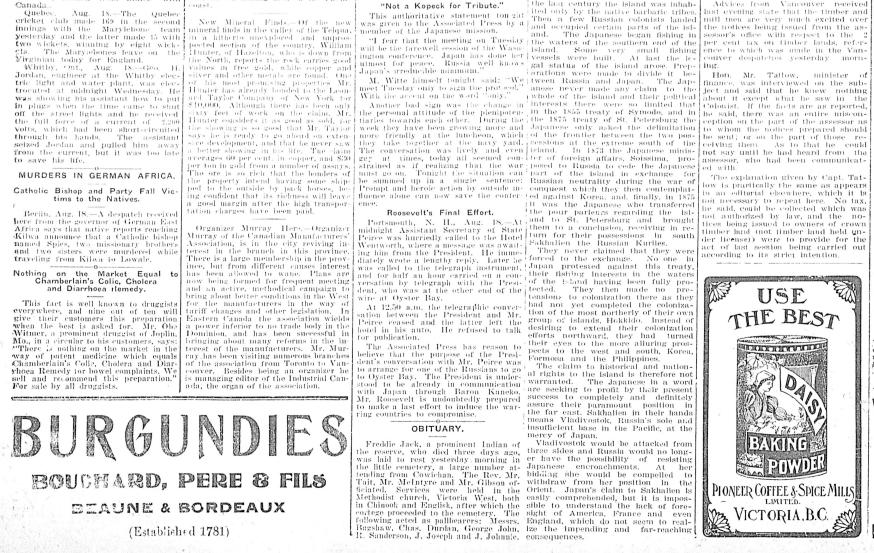
Ambassador Conger, who has been searcely more than three months at his new post in the Uity of Mexico, is summoned to the United States to confer with the President about the Chinese boycett of American goods. He had a long conference with the President to-day.

from this time forward.

While definite details of the projected mission are lacking at this time, it is known that Ambassador Conger's presence in China will affect in no respect either the position or duties of W. W. Rockkill, the American minister.

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# Conditions in the Yukon Country

T. J. Brown of Bonanza Creek Gives Interesting Account of Dawson.

### Tanana Camp Much Over Estimated-Many Men Are Returning.

F. J. Brown of Bonanza Creek, Dawson pleasure tour through the United and Canada, is in the city, staying New Zealand, where he resided 7. A prominent member of the fraternity, Mr. Brown has just in ground says Dawson is really getting in to a second rate camp. The best of ground is getting practically worked. There are, of course, good chances it, but these are the exception rather in the rule. Commercial business has led down upon a more solid general fiess. Prices on the whole are now somable, and the equalization of supand demand tends to set things on a ural and normal footing.

Touse property is still fairly high, and its are also fairly sustained, though on nuch lower level than previously. Owto the exodus of professional men, and a few business men, houses are vacant every direction. Mr. McInnes has tred an excellent first impression and made a good commencement in deal-with the problems before him. In this evet his task is no sinceure, and it will neet his task is no sinceure, and it will

As regards the concessions made by the decovernment in the post, they have not of the whole turned cut as good as was expected. There are some rich patches; but for the information of those concerned the whole, all through they have proved somewhat disappointing, with the exception of the Tredgold, which, though also patchy, has a larger proportion of fairly good ground. On the top of these somewhat discouraging circumstances comes the what discouraging circumstances comes the fairly formed by the management. The Governor General in Council, in virtue of she provisions of section 15, of the Fisheries Act, chapter 95, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, its pleased to order that section 9 of the Fisheries Regulations of the province of British Columbia, established by order in council of the Northwest Poultry Journal gives the interesting experience of a wage-earner who has built a fine home and has a hand-some income from a small tract of land, free years ago he was a blackshift, works.

output must of necessity be in some degree marked.

As regards the Tanana camp, on the American side, the general Impression is that it has been very much over-estimated. Many of the men are returning to the Dawson camp, and report that only two creeks of the Tanana are showing any thing like satisfactory results, though still at the end of four years' prospection the claim owners are still said to entertain high hopes of the ultimate results. The country is difficult and provisions are dear; but it is understood that the American government is tasking steps to facilitate the opening up of the country, whitst

# VICTORIANS ARE WARMLY THANKED

Pleasing Letter of Appreciation From Visiting Mining

# TEXT OF NEW FISHING ORDERS

Regulations Affecting B. C. Re cently Promulgated at Ottawa.

ed we give the complete text, as follows:
Ottawa, July 11, 1905.

The Governor General in Conneil, in virtue of she provisions of section 15, of the Fisheries Act, chapter 95, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, is pleased to order that section 9 of the Fisheries Regulations for the Province of British Column bela, established by order in council of the 1st of May, 1900, shall be and the same is nereby rescinded, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:

No one shall fish for salmon from Satur-farm eight miles from the city and gave.

Ottawa, July 22, 1905.

The Governor General in Council in virtue of the provisions of section 15 of the Fisheries Act, chapter 95 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, is pleased to order and does hereby order that there be added to section 9 of the Fisheries Regulations for the Province of British Columbia, editablished by order in council of the 1st day of May, 1900, the following clause:

(b) Provided also that no one shall fish with salmon pound nets or trap nets in the waters of the Straits of Juan de Puet, west of Gonzales Point, near the city of Victoria, in the province of British Columbia, from Friday evening at 6 o'clock until Sunday morning following at 6 o'clock.

# Draft of the Fair Programme

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virtue of she provisions of section 15, of the Fisheries Act, chapter 95, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, is pleased to order that section 9 of the Fisheries Regulations for the Province of British Columbia, established by order in council of the 1st of May, 1909, shall be and the same is hereby rescinded, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:

No one shall fish for salmon from Saturday and the resulting successive and waters of British Columbia north of the 54th parallel of north latitude, in which rivers and waters of British Columbia north of the 54th parallel of north satitude, in which rivers and waters of British of coleration, until 12 p. m. indimbia of the following Sanday; with this proyelso, that in the waters of the Skeen river and its estuary, no one shall fish for salmon from Saturday in the following Sanday; with this proyelso, that in the waters of the Skeen river and its estuary, no one shall fish for salmon from Saturday morning at 6 o'clock until the following Sanday afternoon at o'clock.

Ottawa, July 22, 1905.

The Governor General in Council is pleased, in virtue of the provisions of section 16 of the Fisheries Act, chapter 95, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, to order that clause 21 of the Fisheries Regulations for the Province of British Columbia, established by the order in council of 3rd March, 1894, shall be and the same is hereby reschided and the following substituted in flent thereof:

21. All fleenses granted under sections 12, 13, 44, 5, 16 and 17 shall be called a "Commercial" fleense, and no net to bused under any such "Commercial" fleense shall be \$10.

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21. All fleenses shall be \$10.

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The Governor General in Council in virtue of the

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contended on behalf of the mother that the child was an Indian within the meaning of the Indian Act, and as the exclusive right to legislate with regard to Indians was in the control of the Do-... comians was in the control of the Dominion parliament, the local statute did not apply.

minion parliament, the local statute did not apply.

His Lordship held that she was an Indian child within the meaning of the Indian Act. Section 91, sub-section (24) of the British North America Act does not segregate that class of His Majesty's subjects from other subjects in habiting a particular province in such a way as to withdraw them from the operation of the general law of the province. If the Dominion parliament made such a law for these people, then they would be governed by such law, but until such a law is made, then the law for them is the general law of the land, as it is for other subjects, where they reside. The parliament of Canada has not legislated upon the subpect of the custody of Indian children, therefore they are within the purview of the general law of the land or province This child, accordingly, comes within the provisions of the Children's Protection Act, and must be considered as in legal custody. The application is dismissed.

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cation is dismissed.

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Everything is now in readiness for the reception to be tendered the veteran volunteer firemen of California, who arrive by the Princess Victoria from Scattle this morning. There was a fair muster of the local veterans at the head-quarters of the fire department last evening to make final arrangements for the reception. Chief Watson occupied the chair and H. L. Salmon acted as secretary.

The latter reported that suitable badges had been prepared and were on hand for those wishing to take part in the parade.

The chairman reported that he

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### THE TAX ON TIMBER.

A despatch from Vancouver, which appeared in the Colonist yesterday morning with respect to the collection of cerleading. It was stated that "Notices are being issued calling upon the holders of all timber under license to furnish returns as to the value set upon their timber to the tax collectors and asses-Failing such returns the tax collectors are empowered to assess the values themselves and levy the tax ac-cordingly. It is estimated that there will be raised by this means a revenue

We are informed that there are no notices being sent out by the assessor to the holders of licenses of timber lands, because timber lands held under lease or license are exempt from taxa-tion by the act. What is being done, however, is that a form is being sent out to the owners of timber land to be filled up in accordance with the Act, showing the description, value and other par-ticulars of the land they claim to be timber land, so that the assessor may know whether to assess it 2 per cent. as timber land or 4 per cent, as wild land. This form is being sent out in the ordinary course of the assessor's duties in preparation of the roll for 1906, and phenomenal sales, because their readof provincial timber lands.

A further misconception seems to have arisen as to the amount of revenue exto be derived from this source. It will be remembered that the Minis ter of Finance in his last Budget estimated that the entire revenue from tim-ber royalties, etc., would be \$400,000. The revenue from the 2 per cent. tax which it must be understood only refers to crown-granted land, will not amount to one-tenth of that sum. The change in the law last session, in reducing the tax on wild lands held as timber land from 4 to 2 per cent, was made in accordance with the recommendations of the Assessment Commission, and the notices in question are simply part of the machinery of the amended Act in oper-

# THE AGGRESSIVE GERMAN.

German world politics is just now occupying a large share of the attention of Europe. The Emperor has been engaged in producing a series of kaleidoscopic effects. First he appears in Morocco and disturbs the nerves of the French Lation by insisting upon a conference to discuss international interests there. Next he has a meeting about the object of which there is a diversity of opinion. From there he goes to Copenhagen for an interview between himself and King Oscar of Sweden, respecting which also the It is supposed that busy guessing. one object of these visits to his royal brethren was to arrive at an understanding about Scandinavia. It was henzollern prince on the throne of Notpeculiarly favorable on account of the anxiety of the Norwegians for a ruler; that he was desirous of bringing about a Scandinavian federation, and that as a matter of precaution in ensuring! the safety of his plans he seeks to turn the Baltic into a closed sea. What ever his designs were, Great Britain sent Europe into a flutter by announc-

ing a naval demonstration of the nials and counter denials respecting We are assured that there is no special significance to Great Britain's action, and that the visit was decided upon several months ago. That it had been timed to take place just after the rumor of the proposal to declare the Baltic a "mare clausam" is regarded as at most only a remark-"coincidence." such assurance, the unexampled activity of the German Emperor and the visit of the Channel fleet to the Baltic, taken in conjunction, have given rise to an uneasy feeling. We do not know

is noticeable. There has been trouble over the Marshall Islands in the South sons Everywhere the Geris nositively aggressive, reflecting the emper of the Kaiser, whose hand seen throughout. The story is briefly told by Public Opinion in this way: "A neat little object lesson in retailiation is afforded by the story which has just been told by the agent general for New South Wales of the manner in which Australian trade has practically been killed in the Marshall Impost after impost has been put upon it with the obvious determination to crush out Australian But in dealing with Australia Germany has had to reckon with a part of the empire, which, fis-cally speaking, is greater than the 'The Australians have lost all patience and are proceeding to retaliate in earnest. They are even going to the length of countermanding or-ders placed with Germany. The efhas been instantaneous. Germany has undertaken to put Australian trade with the Marshall islands on a fair and reasonable basis, the new regulations to come into force The London Times, commenting up-

on the situation, says that the lesson is plain. Great Britain itself, by reason of its free trade policy, is power-less because it has nothing to negotiate, and therefore cannot punish Germany except in matters justifying war. "Lord Lansdowne," it says, "might have written despatches to Berlin till the crack of doom, but he would never have obtained anything but pettifogging answers. It is the Australians themselves who have prought the German government to promise redress, and it rests them to see that the redress is genu-ine and adequate. They have something to negotiate with, and they tain taxes upon timber, is wholly mis- are commercially injured. They are nasters of their own domestic legislation, and they are not tied hand and foot by a belated superstitution masquerading as free trade. They have six millions of German commerce to operate upon, and it is nothing the fear that they will operate upon ernment to reason. They can imitate the example of Canada by adopting a preferential tariff, and they have other ways of making their dis-pleasure felt. We only hope that they will not shrink from using their

# THE MOB IN CURRENT LITERA-TURE.

The St. John Sun, in dealing with the current deluge of criticism that is being poured out upon the head of the monopolist, and in particular upon the hairless pate of John D. Rockefeller, refers to it as being instigated by the mob spirit in literature. Many feeble books in recent years have had pointed out that there is a fashion in profess to belong to fiction. At the present time it is taking the form of tracing all the sorrows, and troubles, and failures of earth to the monopolist. The tirades of Lawson and Ida M. Tarbell against Rockefeller and Against him in the form of one indiridual are poured out treatises, criti cal, biographical, political, economical and pessimistic. Millionaire Hearst, the owner of half a dozen of "yellow journals," says the Sun, in doing his est to corrupt and destroy what is left of the national taste, is just now making this compaign the other part of his business. It is a campaign of riticism without any effort to suggest remedy for the condition that is being so violently assailed, and in this ly mirthful. connection a very sensible protest is

"Most of the lurid writers in the popular magazines on this theme have out cripicality enough to get away from John D. Rockefeller. Other offenders escape under cover of the fire on this man, who, so far as one can see, is a rather commonplace sample of a large class of sharp business people. In every country there are traders and financiers who, according to their gifts and opportunities, are conducting their affairs' very much as Mr. Rockefeller carries on the oil business. If the average man in the grain exchange can corner wheat, he does it. When the small trader can gather in the last few crates of strawdoes it. When the small trader can gather in the last few crates of strawberries and hold them for an advance, he is likely to use his opportunity.

Mr. Rockefeller exercises his gifts in a larger field. It may be necessary for society to take action to protect itself from men in his position, and if anyone is able to show how this may be done, the message would be valuable.

With a large outlay it would be but a poor apology when compared with such in the such in a very short time into a "factory for line relizions are anxious to spend the money, why not devote it to the installation of a municipal telephone service, so that it would be possible to install this convenience in every city home. There are many other needs more urgent than a winter palace.

PETER ROBINSON.

be done, the message would be valuable

"This writing exhibits the mob spirit. It has no point. It does not help the country to escape from the evils of the monopoly. It does not suppress Mr. Rockefeller and certainly does not interfere with the monopolies created by others of his kind. It is a sort of fashionable man-hunt, which will go on until the people are tired of it, when it will be succeeded by some other chase. But it does not arrive at anything practical, and so far as it separates the victim from other men of his class, and marks him out for special and select vituperation, it is unfair. If Mr. Rockefeller were to die today, there would be the same monopolies that now exist. If he had never been born, the people would probably have paid as much for oil, study on ow. The other oil monopolists, who have shared his profits, have not all incurred the animosity of the frenzied finance writers by making large gifts to educational, charitable and religious uses. But they are equally responsible for the Standard Oil methods, and according to the mechanism."

What will probably determine the de-\* \* \*

to an uneasy feeling. We do not know to what extent the situation is reflected by the press despatch in the Colonist of yesterday, but there is apparently evidence of "strained relations." For this situation the responsibility is placed upon the noisy and antagonistic attitude of certain leading newspapers, and the several governments affected are called upon to make definite and authorifative amnouncements of their intentions in order to put a stop to current rumors, which uncontradicted may lead to mischlef.

There are more quarters than one, however, in which German aggression What will probably determine the de-

The University of Washington, Seattie, issues bulletins quarterly. No. 23 of series 2 has been received. It is entitled "University Views." It is an attractive, well printed souvenir of that institution, which is making steady educa

"New British Columbia" is Mr. Mcvisited by him. If we consider the area of this province north, south, east and west still undeveloped the title would be of much wider application than that intended by the Premier.

The Yukon World, which opposed the election of Dr. Thompson, now supports him. It bases its support on the grounds that he has given valuable aid and assistance to the government at Ottawa, which has been responsible for all the ills that the Yukon has fallen heir to.
The compliment intended to be conveyed to Dr. Thompson is, therefore, a

It is stated that Mr. Parmalee, deputy minister of Trade and commerce is to minister of Trade and commerce, is to be superamuated, his place to be taken by Mr. F. C. O'Hara, a relative of Sir Richard Cartwright. Mr. O'Hara is already in the service, which prompts the St. John Sun to remark that "as Sir Richard has no relatives left without office, there is nothing now to be done for the family but increase their pay."

The Stratford Beacon exclaims, "We vant the Western provinces for the Lib-eral party!" Like the baby in the eral party!" Like the baby in the Pear's Soap picture, Liberals will not are certainly going about in a most busiless-like way to accomplish their object. will be deserted by the people of the Northwest, to whom he has been a faithful servant all these years, at the dietation of Ottawa.

We call attention to an article in the London Times which is reproduced in part elsewhere, respecting the necessity of training school boys as a preparation Roberts is at present carrying on a campaign in England on those lines, and he is securing the hearty support of the people. The subject is of special interest schools has been and still is to some extent a local issue. Arguments presented by the Times are precisely those put for ward by the Colonist.

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the thing of the Colonist of the Colonist of the Colonist of the recent increase of indemnities, but is firmly convinced that it was called for by the circumstances affecting life at Ottawa. It holds that the indemnity should be based on the expense of city life and not on the country standard. The "simple life" in politics is evidently not practicable. The Star does not think, lowever, that the senators should have got the increase. Not belonging to the "popular" branch of Parlianent, and have got the increase. Not belonging to the "popular" branch of Parlianent, and have got the increase. Not belonging to the "popular" branch of Parlianent, and have got the increase. Not belonging to the spond the limit of the country standard. Old-fashioned ideas are getting and Moneton the matter stands thus: In respect to the proposed line of the Grand Trunk Pacific between Quebes and Moneton the matter stands thus: In respect to the proposed line of the Grand Trunk Pacific between Quebes and Moneton the matter stands thus: When the Grand Trunk Pacific is tween the sam epolitics. Solono, If the shortening process succeeds.

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# LOCAL NEWS.

White Pass Railway.—According to a statement appearing in London papers just to band the traffic receipts of the White Pass & Yukon railway for seven days ending July 21st were \$78,289 from July 1st to June 30th \$1,034,015

B. C. Electric Earnings.—From London financial papers just to hand it is learned that for the mouth of June the net earnings of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, Ltd., were \$25,858; increase, \$4,340. From July 1st, \$328,680; increase, \$43,658.

Cariboo Consolidated.—The B. C. Review (London) in its issue of August 5th hus the following paragraph: Cariboo Consolidated—Cablegram from resident manager: "During the entire month of July washed 922 eulic yards of gravel, yielding 115 ounces of gold. During the past week marked improvement in value."

New Residence.—The contract has just been awarded to F, J. Mesher for the erection of a fine residence on St. Charles street to the order of Joseph Wilson. The plans are drawn by J. M. Keith and the building will be of the most modern type. The contract price is understood to be in the neighborhood of \$7,000.

Get Mail Contract.—It is announced that the contract for carrying the mail from Nanaimo to Alberni has been awarded for the next four years to Messrs, Thompson & Scoville, of Nanaimo. They will take charge of the work on the 1st of September. Messrs. Thompson & Scoville have not yet completed arrangements for the details of the service, but promise that it will be fully up to the high standard provided by the present holders of the contract, Fitzgerald & Burke, of Alberni.

Eitzgerald & Burke, of Alberni.

Demand for Stoves.—As indicating the good prospects ahead of the company which has just taken over the stove department of the Albion Iron Works, Ltd., the following is taken from the Ladysmith Leader of yesterday: "The Ladysmith Iron and Stove Works are receiving many orders for stoves from the Mainland. Today six of their first-class stoves are being shipped to Vancouver, and during the week the company expect to send about twenty to the Capital and ic the Terminal City. A number of fresh hands have been put on to cope with the orders,"

on to cope with the orders."

Used Mineral Water.—A feature of the recent fire at Hacrison Hot Springs was that the flames were effectually fought with a stream of St. Alice mineral water, the ununp being connected with the famous spring. It is said that this water was actually more effective than a like quantity of ordinary lake water, and those interested are now trying to figure out whether this is due to the virtue of the liquid or to the fact that its temperature when leaving the nozzle was 160 degrees. However, the fire destroyed \$3.000 worth of property, which was only insured to half its value, but no doubt the patrons of the springs will soon have a much better and upto-

to-date bath house.

The Boycott Movement. — Leading Chinese on the other side of the line have notified Chinese residents in British Columbia that an invitation has been sent out from the Flowery Kingdom for every Chinaman who is away from his native land to contribute \$2 towards the boycotting campaign against American goods in China. As yet no action has been taken locally, but as a great many celestials are willing and even auxious to aid in this movement against the "foreign devils," it is altogether likely that something will be done. So far action has been postponed, principally on account of the fact that so many Chinese are at present away at work in the canneries, while the leading contractors are also out of town on the same business.

Vistoria's Future The Leakenith

Victoria's Future.—The Ladysmith Ledger, in its issue of Thursday last, said: There is no question but that the city of Victoria is in line to become a great tourist city, where parties will meet friends from distant points, as from Alaska, Australia or the Hawaiian Islands. The climatic conditions, the beautiful drives, the outside points of interest to be visited, all combine to help Victorians and the C.P.R. to make the Island city a point missed by none traveling for health or recreation. Victoria is waking from its past quiet and sedate form and is becoming a live city, and Vancouver Island in general is glad to see it so, for if Victoria goes ahead, so does every town on the Island, and other towns along the line of the C.P.R. will gladly do all in their power to make the Island in general a peasant and a profitable section of the country to visit.

Five Years' Imprisonment.—J. A.

Five Years' Imprisonment.—J. A. Crawford, the young man arrested by Detective Sergt. Palmer and Detective Macedonald for passing bogus cheques, and who attempted his life (as stated in hese columns) when arrested, was yeserday sentenced by Police Magistrate Itall in the city police court to five rears' imprisonment in the penitentlary on a charge of forgery. He pleaded quilty. The magistrate, after hearing he evidence of his crime, drew attention o its serious nature and sentence the orisoner to the penitentlary. Crawford stated yesterday that he had served time in Folson and Walla Walla peniteniaries for the same offence, and had revently passed bogus cheques in many const cities. He is a young man of good address, and his family is a respectable one in Scattle. He says his wrong-doing is due to indulgence in liquor, which makes him temporarily insane and he does not know what he does when under May Increase Dividend.—Having re-

May Increase Dividend.—Having regard to the developments taking place in the mining districts served by the company, it is possible, if not wholly probable, that the White Pass & Yukon railway may increase the final dividend for the year ended June last, when the accounts are completed in October, says the B. C. Review (London). The dividend of 4 per cent, on the ordinary, shares for 1903-4 was paid in two instalments, viz., an interim of 2½ per cent. This year the interim has been reduced to 2 per cent, say, 4s, per 10 share, as the season was a little backward; but traffic has since been increasing, and as from last year there will be a substantial sum brought forward, another 2 per cent, say, and as from last year there will be a substantial sum brought forward, another 2 per cent, seems assured. As the shares were lately to be bought at under 15, cum, dividend, and some few months ago the price touched 6%, they should prove a cheap "lock-up" and the same suggestion applies also to the five per cent, first debentures, quoted at only 92 ex.d., or the 6 per cent, debentures at 191.

Coming to Victoria.—Hon, M. F.

or the 6 per cent, debentures at £91.

Coming to Victoria.—Hon. M. F. Hackett, of Stanstead, Quebec, grand president, and J. J. Behan, of Kingston, Ont., grand secretary of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada, will arrive in this city on Theesday evening. August 29th, and will address the members of the local branch on that evening at an open meeting in Institute hall, to which a cordial invitation is extended to everybody. Grand President Hackett was for several terms premier of the province of Quebec and is an orator of marked ability. J. J. Behan, the energetic grand secretary, has held several important civic positions in Kingston. This is the first visit of the grand officers to the West, and the members of the local branch are making preparations for giving their distinguished visitors a fine reception. W. W. Walsh, grand deputy of the order of British Columbia, will accompany the grand officers from Vancouver. The C.M.B.A. is a fraternal insurance company, having branches throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion, organized but a few years ago, and having a membership of over 20,000 and a reserve fund of over \$170,000.

# Salmon Curing.—As a result of scar-city of spring fish, one of the salmon curing establishments has closed down. It has shipped about five carloads of its product to Germany since starting oper

Promising Property.—C. W. D. Clif-Promising Property.—C. W. D. Clifford, member for Cassiar, who is largely interested in Bulkley valley mining properties, states that Mr Milton K. Rogers, managing director of the Nickel Plate mines in the Similkameen district, had examined the JX L, a property owned by Mr. Clifford Mr. Rogers has offered to bond the property for \$100,000 as soon as transportation facilities are arranged.

A Presentation. — Charles Durden will leave on Monday morning for Woodstock, Ont., it being his intention to study for the ministry. At a meeting of the members of Caivary Baptist church, the congregation, through J. W. H. King, presented Mr. Durden with the customary license to preach, Pastor Vichert, on behalf of the members, also presented him with a well filled pocketbook, Mr. Durden in reply thanked the members for their kindness in the past and for their expressions of goodwill on the eve of his departure. Presentation. -- Charles Durden

Located Townsite.—A very fine townsite has been located at the junction of the Telqua and Bulkley rivers, back of the Grand Trunk coal lands. Behind this there is a rich belt of mineral country. Miners have been flocking into it, and there had been 115 licenses issued at Hazelton and 225 ciaims recorded a few weeks ago. Practical men from Montana, who are in the district, say that it is a better mineral country than that around Butte. Galena and gray copper have been discovered; free gold is found in the low grade ore, and bornite, copper pyrites and peacock copper are frequently met. Located Townsite .-- A very fine town

Victorians in North.—Harry Howson, formerly of Victoria, has a number of claims on the Telqua river, in the Bulkley valley district. He is representing Chicago capitalists. Others are thinking of sending small quantities of ore to the coast in five and three-ton shipments. The government is sending Harry Berryman into the Bulkley valley to act as land commissionner and mining recorder. Fred Heale, at one time a farmer in Saanich, is living with his family and children in the Bulkley valley, and the same of the property of the same of the victorians there are F. Ritchie and Harry Howard.

"Each succeeding day is the scholar of that which preceded." And if you worked over-time yesterday because your office-force is "short-handed," it should have TAUGHT you as well as tired you. "Get thee to the want columns" and find another helper.

C.P.R. Officials.—As already mentioned in the Colonist a party of C.P.R. officials are expected to reach Victoria on Thursday next. Robert Kerr, passenger traffic manager; W. R. MacInnes, freight traffic manager; C. E. McPherson, general passenger agent of Western lines; F. W. Peters, assistant freight manager, Winnipeg. They are in the Kootenay country en route to the coast on their annual tour of inspection. On the way out from Montreal the heads the traffic department have expressed of the frame department have expressed themselves freely on subjects relating to the Canadian Pacific as it already stands, and have also stated that an in-spection of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway will be made, with an idea of extending the line to Comox.

Dallas Road Foreshore.—The beginning of the week will see work commenced on the retaining wall along the foreshore of Dallas road. For the last few years the city has voted a sum to be devoted to the work of constructing a wall from Menzies street to Oswego street, which has become an absolute necessity, if the beach drive is to be preserved. Following the precedent of the last council, this year's board voted the sum of \$2.000 for the work, but it was found necessary to appropriate a portion of this amount to complete permanent sidewalks. Although the amount available for the work is not sufficient to complete the wall, it will make it possible to finish it next year, provided the usual amount is voted.

Amount is voted.

Measured Mountain.—During his stay on West Coast, Professor Conway Me-Millan, of the Minnesota University, measured the height of Mount Edinburgh. This is located about twelve miles from the coast, and has been ascended several times by students who have attended the annual gathering at the Port Renfrew station. The necessary equipment was arranged, and a party of the most experienced mountain climbers commenced the ascent. It took them many hours to reach the topmost pinnacle, but eventually they succeeded. From this point the distance was measured in the usual way, every precaution being taken to ensure the reliability of the result. The mountain was found to be precisely 3,600 feet above sea-level, and that fact has been recorded in Prof. MacMillan's chronicles.

MacMillan's chronicles.

The Grand Theatre.—A week of phenomenal business closes at the Grand theatre today with two matinee performances beginning at 2.30, at which children will be admitted for the low price of five cents, and three performances to night, the first beginning at 7.30 sharp, and the others at 8.30 and 9.30. The excellence of the performance and the immense business during the week indicates that there will be an unusual crush to hight, the slight inconvenience incident to which can be largely avoided by as many as possible making it a point to be on hand in time for the opening of the first performance at 7.30 sharp. To night affords the last opportunity of seeing Musical Kleist, Caston and Harvey, the Rinaldos and Dreaur, not to mention little Edna Foley in illustrated song and a fine line of moving pictures.

Maying Platings Vising the coming down to break fast at the farm house and observing a plate of honey on the table said, and the alput of honey on the table said, and the said the farm house and observing a plate of honey on the table said, and the plate of honey on the table said, and the plate of honey on the table said, and the about the blade of honey on the table said, and the said under the farm house and observing a plate of honey on the table said, and the last at the farm house and observing a plate of honey on the table said, and the last out the base. That is about the blade was something one sot all about the blade was something one; at all about the blade was something one; at all

Moving Pictures.—Very special meetings will be conducted in the Salvation Army hill on Saturday and Sunday afternoon and night by Capt. Parker, of Toronto, formerly of Victoria. He will also exhibit on Tuesday, the 22nd, over 5,000 feet of animated pictures, representing the world-wilde work of the Army, which will be projected on canvas by a powerful English bioscope. The great social work of the army in the slums of London, New York and Chicago Is depicted faithfully. Living scenes from Australia and other countries appear in life-like reproduction, also logical Gardens of London, England. These pictures have never been shown before by any other company. And a wonderful reproduction of pictures representing Christ "Healing the Billid Man." Beautiful illustrations will be thrown uses the canvas while representing Christ Blind Man." Beau Beautiful illustrations Ellind Man." Beautiful illustrations will be thrown upon the canvas while "The Holy City" and other illustrated songs are being sung.

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To Induct Rector.—At St. Mark's church, Boleskin road, at evensong, Sunday, commencing at 7 o'clock, the Lord Bishop of Columbia will institute and induct Rev. W. Baugh Allen as rector of the parish.

Exhibit at Fair.—Potatoes, corn, wheat and barley have all been successfully grown in the Bulkley valley, of which fact those who attend the provincial exposition at New Westminster will have proof, for it is the intention of a number of residents to send south samples of what can be raised in the way of farm produce.

Railway Prediction.—It is predicted that the Hazelton-Kitamaat railway will furnish transportation to the Bulkley valley district before the Grand Trunk Pacific, as according to the terms of this railway company's charter it is obliged to start construction by May, 1906, and have the road completed by 1907.

A Sidewalk Difficulty.—The question of laying a permanent sidewalk on Douglas street on the east side, between Yates and Johnson streets, has resulted in a dead-lock between the city and the Odd Fellows' Society. The Odd Fellows protested against the action of the city in raising the grade of the sidewalk above the level of their ground floor. In order to arrive at some decision a conference has been arranged when the subject will be thoroughly discussed.

Assisting Indians.—A. W. Vowell, superintendent of Indian affairs, was informed by Mr. Beasley, of the C.P.R., immediately on the occurrence of the disaster at Spence's Bridge, of the fact that a special train had been equipped at Kamboops to take doctors and the Indian agent to the scene of the disaster. Mr. Vowell at once telegraphed for every assistance to be rendered to the sufferers. Indian Agent Irwin, together with Drs. Wade, Chipperfield and Sanson, proceeded to the spot on the special train. It happened, however, that the doctor connected with the party in the construction work at Spence's Bridge was but a very short distance away, and he quickly gave every attention to the injured. When the train arrived with the agent and doctors, the work of alleviating the suffering proceeded systematically.

Back From Bulkley.—Victor Spencer has returned from the Bulkley valley country. Four months ago he started for there via Quesnelle with betweet fifty and sixty head of cattle. He had three men with him, and all traveled on horseback. The trip was made in the best time on record, the trio arriving in the Bulkley with the stock in just three weeks from the time they set out. The cattle reached their destination in pretty good condition, and before Mr. Spencer left for home something like 100 tons of hay had been cut for their use during the winter months. Of the agricultural prospects Mr. Spencer is enthusiastic, and he speaks highly of the character of the soil to be found in the valley. That men should return from there with bad reports of what they had seen along this line is a great surprise to the Victorian who thinks that the district is extremely fertile.

Wedded in Vancouver.—Among the guests at the Vernon hotel are the principals in a quiet wedding which took place at Vancouver on Monday, the contracting parties being Mr. Bert Hobbis, who was prominently identified with the James Bay Athletic Association for several years, and Mrs. E. T. Armstrong, of the Terminal City. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Mr. Ladner at his residence, Harewood avenue. Only a few intimate friends were present. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Hobbis were the recipients of many congratulations. They left that evening for Victoria, being given a hearty send-off. It is the intention of the newly married couple to reside here until about the 1st of September, when Mr. Hobbis will take a place with Terry & Marrett, the local druggists, at the branch establishment they will open in the Hastings' street areade, Vancouver. They will make their home at 300 Howe street.

Students Couclude Labors.—Prof. Conway MacMillan, of the Minnesota University, accompanied by a party of thirty students, returned yesterday from the Port Renfrew botanical station after a fortnight's sojourn there. They were passengers by the steamer Queen City, and left for the East last evening. Some will take the Canadian Pacific railway to Eastern Canadian points, and others intend visiting the Lewis and Clark exposition and Southern California. All speak of their stay on the West Const as a most delightful and profitable experience. Discussing the outing Prof. MacMillan said that it was probably more successful from the standpoint of scientific research and enjoyment than any held since the establishment of the station. During the investigations what is believed to be an entirely new species of kelp was discovered. It has been carefully preserved as well as photographed, so that it may be analyzed at the unineneved to be an entirely new species o kelp was discovered. It has been care fully preserved as well as photographed so that it may be analyzed at the uni-

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Big Fair Races.-Over eighty head of big rail races.—Over eighty head of horses will come to race at the West-minster fair. The telegraph wires were kept busy Thursday afternoon between Vancouver and Portland about the matter, and Mr. J. J. Bottger was made agent of the horse-racing people to arrange matters with the Dominion fair management.

Rushing Freight North,—As a result of the rush of shipments to the North under the special commodity rates of the White Pass & Yukon route and connecting ocean lines, the steamers sailing North within the next ten days will be loaded down to their full capacity. The major part of the merchandise was warehoused there prior to the cancellation of the low commodity rates at midnight on Tuesday. It may therefore be shipped North under the terms of the low tariff.

Chinese Wants Flour.—A cablegram received at the C.P.R. headquarters states that inquiries are being made from China about Canadian flour, owing to shipments of American flour being stopped by the boycott. Canada already supplies China with some flour, and is anxious to have that country one of its regular customers. How much the Dominion may profit by the boycott it is difficult to say, but Canadian millers are ready to supply China with immense quantities.

Cariboo Pioneer.—One of the old-timers of Cariboo has just passed away at Vancouver in the person of Mr. William Boyd, of Seventy-Mile House. For some years Mr. Boyd was a foreman on the C.P.R. but afterwards he settled down at Seventy-Mile House, and for many years had been well known to travelers in that part of the country. Mr. Boyd came down from Cariboo a few days ago to undergo an operation. The first incision showed that he had only a few days to live at the most. Mr. Boyd was an Orangeman of the old school, and a most generous and kindly hearted man. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn his loss.

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# Women's Auxiliary Complemint ed on Energy Shown in

The finance committee report was also received and adopted as follows: "Accounts for the month of July amounting to \$1,601.69 were examined approved for payment.

was made in June last, and has been generously responded the citizens. The ladies veno hope that the directors will eir way clear to commence opis before the fine weather is smany of the donations were with this object in view. The n's Auxiliary takes this opporof again assuring the directors continued loyalty and interest, assisting the directors and in a timely interest and an active in the weather.

welfare."

R. Jenkinson, who has for the last 15 years acted in the capacity of steward, tendered his resignation. Mr. Jenkinson has for his term of office held the respect of all the directors and the resident doctor for his efficient and faithful services. He is 357,002 tons.

leaving to join his relatives in Chicago, who have been for some time desirous of his returning to join them. The resignation was accepted and Mr. Jenkinson will receive a testimonial from the board for the manner in which he has attended to his duties during his long term of office. Titely meeting then adjourned.

### PERSONALS.

nong the arrivals on the City of da from San Francisco were Mr. Mrs. Jas. T. Johns, of Grass Val-Zalifornia, who are on a visit to Mr.

### SOUND CANNERS SHORT OF FISH

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working plans and specifications forthwith and to submit them to the board at his earliest convenience.

A letter of thanks was received from E. Walker for the kindness with which her daughter had been treated during her four moaths stay in thospital. Quoting from her letter:
"Nothing could exceed the great kindness of Dr. and Mrs. Hasell, who were never tired of trying to help the patient. For Miss McDonald, matron, Miss McCrea and the other nurses connected with the Strathcons wing I have nothing but words of praise for their unfailing kindness, patience and solicitude for the patient's welfare."

R. Jenkinson, who has for the lost

Truders.
The Bute brought in 600 spring salmon, which were delivered to the Lindenberger curing establishment at the foot of Yates street.

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L. York and Prlor vs. Hart and Heyland.
Miss Hardle vs. Miss Leeming.
J. Leeming and F. A. Macrae vs. winters of previous doubles.

Winner of Camble vs. Leeming will play winners of Heyland vs. winners of York vs. Schwengers.

### CRICKET.

This afternoon at the Jubilee Hospital grounds the Victoria Cricket Club will meet a team from the Garrison. The game will be called at 2 o'clock sharp, and the following team will represent Victoria: A. Martin, L. York, W. York, Q. D. H. Warden, H. N. Nesbitt, D. M. Rogers, T. B. Tye, G. A. Taylor, A. P. Luxton, A. Co's.

Charlotte, N. Y., Aug. 18.—The Iroquois fon the final race for the Canada Cup to ay. The official time is: Started, Tenralic 11., 15:10, Iroquois 11:15.15; Inilsh, roquois 2:15.14, Temeraire 2:19.20, It was 11 o'clock before the naval receive launch reached the Judge's boat the machine boats after which in-

# BRITISH SPORTING NEWS

London, July 14, 1905. A FAMOUS MEETING.

A FAMOUS MEETING.

The Widnes athletic meeting is a very old established one, and many famous runners have shown their pace on the little grass track. It was a happy hunting ground for W. G. George, who brought a goodly five was a remarkable half and there. The ran a remarkable half and there. The ran a remarkable half and there, the ran a property of the ran a sensitive state of the ran a remarkable half and there, the ran a remarkable half and there, the ran a remarkable half and there are the ran and there event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event, but did so to oblige the off another event at the sample of the sa

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The presence of H. A. Hyman, the new 220 yards champlin, greatly added to the Interest of the 300 yards level race at the Birmingham A. C. sports. The Caunty Cricket Club at Edgaston affords splendid "going" when the weather is favorable, and that a really good grass track is quite as fast as cinders was again shown. Unfortunately for the Pennsylvania University athlete, the course was four feet and a few Inches less than 300 yards, consequently his 31 seconds does not supplant C. G. Wood's and A. R. Downer's 31 2-5 seconds, which standa as a British record. To find Hyman beating such runners as E. H. Monragne and R. L. Watson by a dozen yards, shows how good he is; and, given favor-

for 200 and 300 yards before he goes away.

It was a bits unfortunate that the Birmingham A. C. and Ashton Police sports were held on the same afternoon with the control of the same afternoon to be a superscript of the control of the same afternoon to be a superscript of the control of the superscript of the control of the superscript of the control of the superscript of

### LAWN TENNIS.



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France is following the example of some people in England and trying to suppress bookmakers. Whether the sport would be benefit or suffer if 14 were only possible to bet on the tots, is a matter open to considerable argument.

Touching on French matters, M. Blanc intends having a go for the Eclipse Stakes with Val d'Or, as nether obsenion of Jardy have set recovered from the allment that attacked so many of the

This year's Inter-Varsity match showed once again how changes come over a game. The Cantabs opened with 218, and Oxford responded with 319. When 6 wick ets were down for 77 in the second in nings of the Light Blues, the match looked all over. L. A. Colbeck (107) and H. C. McDounel (69) altered the appear ance of things, however, and the scorr reached 261. Still, with only 161 required to win, the task of the Dark Blues did not appear hard. A. F. Morcow soon made the Oxford men uncomfortable, and by taking 6 wickets for 41 runs was the prime factor in the lunings closing for 123, leaving Cambridge victorious by 40 runs.

Gentlemen v. Players.

This important match at Lords pro

Gentlemen v. Players.

This important match at Lords produced some capital cricket. The professionals made 356 and 263 for 4 wickers, some capital cricket. The professionals made 356 and 263 for 4 wickers, some capital cricket. The professionals made 356 and 263 for 4 wickers, some capital cricket and some some capital crickets and some capital crickets and some capital crickets and c The Australians.

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The Australians gave the Hampshire eleven a bad time at Southampton, beat ing the county men by one lunings and 112 runs. The visitors indulged in some tall scening, Trumper making 92; Häll 115, Noble 101, and Gregory, 134; while Cotter cook 6 whekets for S3 and 3 for 45.

Derbyshire also went down before the Australians in their twentieth match, the visitors winning by 104 runs after declar

### IN GENERAL.

T. Vardon and J. White will probably challenge the winners of the H. Vardon-J. H. Taylor v. J. Braid-A. Herd foursomes.

The Iniskilling Dragoons proved successful over the 20th Hussars in the final of the Inter-Regimental Polo Tournament at Hurlingham, by four goals to three.

### Sudden Attack of Dysentery Cured

Hallam & Wyndham, the tea coffee men of 83 Douglas street, just received another shipment their celebrated coffee. The ger public know pretty well what public know pretty well what this means, and no doubt Hallam & Wynd-ham will be heaped up with sample The bells are ringing, haste away

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The sun of knowledge here we find, Rising in these youthful minds, Clear the way, the world is waking With Maynard's boots all records breaking.

President Roosevelt, in a recent conversation with Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, asked the senator what he thought of his appointment of Charles J. Bonaparte to a place in the Cabinet. "You have heard of the man McGinnis," replied Mr. Knox, "who kept a saloon and lived with his family up over the saloon. One day his bartender shouted up the stairs: "McGinnis, shall I trust Tim O'Leary for a drink?" 'Has he had the drink?' called back McGinnis. "He has.' "Thin trust him.'"

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Chinese and Japanese

# Condition of the Coal Industry

Reports of Progress and Plans of the Wellington Colliery Company.

### A Fairly Good Season Is Anticipated by General Manager Little.

Little, Little, general manager of the Wellington and Union collieries, in an interview with the Ladysmith Ledger, says the syste, and Union collieries, in an interview with the Ladysmith Ledger, says the syste, and the bench says the system of the Gold Drop group of steadily along. The Colliery Company has retained all trackage and water frontage on this side of the smelter grounds, and their tracks will be entirely distinct from the C. P. R. A new depot for the use of the miners, not an extensive and the part of the company are having good sales for coal, and expect to have a fairly good season. Mr. Little states that the has no knowledge of the C. P. R. plans in reference to bunkers in Victoria, The obtaining of the trade for the Paget Sound is not coal Traget Sound coal by American shipping. The Wellimton Company have at times a good share of this trade, but it is one that cannot be counted on for British Columbia. The same may be said of the Treadwell Company and the Dongtas Island, Skagway, Janean, and other Alaskan townshow as the short line where the company contemplate opening up mines. It will be a your place of Wellington coal in San Francisco.

How the summer is the summer of the work of the Cranby group are crownsyranted and pattented. The prospecting undertaken by the Grauby company demonstrated the existence of large ore holdies of similar taleast, but he loss of the Tricolor's cargo, Mr. Little states that men are now prospecting at two points on the short line where the company contemplate opening up mines. It will be a your plant of the work of the company should be steadily prospected at the mines, and has not he shipped from there. Meanthine, as there is room for them, men will be put of the company and the company should be steadily prospected at the mines, and has not he slightest question regarding the said and handling of Wellington coal in San Francisco.

Of Nanaima labor conditions Mr. Little said nething, He, however, remarked that the Brechin mines and the said and handling of Wellin

very much coal.

Union, Mr. Little stated that there been 30,000 tons of coal on the p. This amount has, however, been that decreased of late, owing to be shipments. The mines are work-period to the control of the co

g their full time, and the output is sat-factory.
Mr. Little talked entertainingly of con-tions as they exist, and his remarks ere such, knowing as he does the coal anditions and the mines he superin-nds, that no one hearing him but would be not be that Ladysmith, as the home of the employees of the Wellington Col-tery Company, is a town that must grow and prosper, for as Mr. Little said, the nality of coal is such that customers ill have it, and the coal measures are te most extensive known on the Pacific oast.

# **BIG BUSH FIRES** IN THE KLONDIKE

Ten Miles of Splendid Timber flas Been Bestr yed Near

house. Then they moved on towards Bonanza creek inding an excellent path of dry material to work its way down to forty-nine. Bonanza ight made a very heautiful sight as they rolled high into the sky. It, however, was a very destructive fire, as it has burned the best of the timber still left standing on lower Bonanza. The way this timber comes to be standing lies in the fact that it is rather inaccessable, and in consequence was not yet searched for by the woodmen.

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woodmen.

There are several other bad bush fires
in the neighborhood of Dawson. The
dry weather has been responsible, and if
there is not soon some rain, the chances
are that a great deal of the best timber
left standing in this country will be destroyed.

# BESSEMER'S ROMANTIC CAREER.

Chicago News.

In a recently published autobiography of Sir Henry Bessemer is told how, in 1833, when he was a youth of twenty, he learned that the British government was losing about \$500,000 a year through the use of forged stamps. He set about discovered how to forge government stamps with the greatest case. This was a risky bit of knowledge for a struggling young man who wanted money where with to get married to the girl of his choice. But young Bessemer, having invented forthwith the perforated stamp that is now known everywhere, wear gayly to the government officials with the forgeries in his pocket to ask if they were genuine. When Sir Charles Preseley passed them as genuine, Ressemer remarked that he knew they were genuine. When Sir Charles Preseley passed them as genuine, Ressemer remarked that he knew they were genies—"simply because I forged them myself." Then he suggested a remedy lt was accepted. Bessemer was offered the post of superintendent of stamps for plant and staff must be reorganized—at \$2,000 to \$4,000 a year.

Young Bessemer went away happily to tell his good luck to the girl of his choice. He explained to her the situation, how old stamps had been picked off documents and used again, and how he had invented an elaborate plan to remedy this. "But surely." said the pout on them they could not at a future time be used without detection." This rather startled young Bessemer. But he devised a simple method of marking the devised a simple method for marking

needed, Bessemer was informed that no superintendent of stamps would be appointed. Thus he had deprived himself

pointed. Thus he had deprived influence of a job.

I Forty-five years later, after he had invented the "Bessemer process" of preparing iron, and had made a great fortune, Bessemer wrote to Lord Beaconsfield, then Prime Minister, pointing out that he had saved the country millions without the reward of a penny. He no longer wanted money, but the government acknowledged the debt and paid it with a knighthood.

### BUYS ANOTHER MINE.

The banner mining deal for the year to date in British Columbia was closed last week by wire from Spokaue, say the Spokesman-Review, when the Grant Spokesman special was the spokesman special was specially the spokesman special sp

ers and O. O. Haines have returned there from an exploring trip on Queen Charlotte islands and report having located petroleum scepage. They staked ten claims on Queen Charlotte island and will prospect for oil. The men were Yukon prospectors and had heard the tale of petroleum being located on Queen Charlotte island from Indians at Juneau. Indians who returned to Juneau Indians who returned to Juneau Indians who returned to Juneau from visits to tribes on Queen Charlotte islands had, it is said, spoke of having come in contact while on the Northern islands with t'burning water," On one occasion, a party of Indian hunters told of visiting some of the Queen Charlette islands and, while encamped near a lake, finding upon investigation that the surface of the water was covered with a bluish seum that had a peculiar taste, which prevented its use for camping purposes.

During the night, after a big camp fir had been burning, the Indians were aroused by an immense blaze, which covered the surface of the small lake. The scene so terrified the Indians that they fled to the coast, took their canoes and returned to their village.

When they reported their experience at Juneau, little attention was paid to the story, as the Ahaska Indian is given to exaggeration, and, then, the prospector was looking for gold, and any reports that did not relate to that metal were not considered.

However, when the tree prospectors from the Yukon heard the tale of the Indians they concluded to investigate and took passage on a remainer to Ketchikan, from whence they went to Queen Charlott islands. Petroleum seepage was found and the label and the found and the story and the story as a funder to Ketchikan, from whence they went to Queen Charlott islands. Petroleum seepage was found.



# OKANAGAN LAKE

A Discovery of Great Importance to the Entire Interior Section.

A new discovery of coal in the Okanagan valley is reported that must prove
of great importance to this section of
the province if the expectations of the
locator, Mr. A. W. McVittie, P.L.S., are
realized, says the Armstrong Advertiser.
Mr. McVittie reports that he has discovered a seam of coal 52 inches in
thickness, seven miles from the weat
shore of the Okanagan lake, and about
nine miles from Okanagan landing. It
is in such a position, Mr. McVittie declares, that it can be mined economically, and a road can be made to the lake
of a 2 per cent, grade, less than eight
miles in length.

The coal is found in what appears to

### THE WEAK SPOT.

THE WEATHER.

Territories and Manitoba.		
TEMPERATURE.	Min.	Max.
Victoria	55	64
Vancouver	55	68
New Westminster	56	68
Kamloops	58	86 54
Barkerville	42 50	64
Dawson, Y. T	42	74
Calgary, Alta	52	7.4
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5 p.m. 12 miles south.
Average stare of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—9 hours 30 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed.
Corrected. NEW WESTMINSTER.

# VICTORIA TIDE TABLE.

(Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Victoria, B. C., August, 1905.

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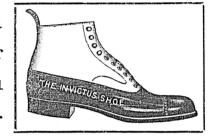


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bla helps business, which has a very conident tone.

Failures number 29, as against 15 in
this week a year ago.

Bank Clearings

New York, Aug. 18.—The following are
the weekly bank clearings as compiled by
dBradstreet's for the week c..ding August
17, showing percentages of increase and
decrease as compared with the correspondfug week last year: Montreal, \$23,167,961,
increase 16.5. Toronto, \$17,882,542, increase
17.8. Winnipeg, \$6,518,148, increase
26.0. Ottawa, \$2,524,082, increase 6.6. Hallfax, \$1,53,585.

# WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

11816: US 88 303; pfd 1044; US Rubber 52%; UP 136; Wabash 21½, WU 94½; WC 30.

Moncy Markets
New York, Aug. 18.—Cose: Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady at \$1,86.65 to .70 for december of the control of the control

S0.2 on Sth; lowest, 47.8 on 3rd; mean, 63.6.
Garry Point—Highest temperature, 80 on 9th; lowest, 44.5 on 2nd; mean, 61.2.
Kamloops—Highest temperature, 97.5 on 9th; lowest, 52.0 on 15th; mean, 71.6.
Barkerville—Highest temperature, 82 on 22nd; lowest, 30 on 26th; mean, 67.37.
Chilliwack—Highest temperature, 92.5 on 8th; lowest, 46.0 on 12th.
Quesnel—Highest temperature, 90 on 20th; and lowest, 40 on 2nd.
Vernon—Highest temperature, 101 on 21st; lowest, 47.0 of 6th and 15th.
Rossland—Highest temperature, 90.5 on 21st; lowest, 48.0 on 14th.
Nelson—Highest temperature, 93 on 9th, lowest, 40 on 14th.
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west, 40 on 14th. Kitamaat—Highest temperature, 94 on 5th; lowest, 46 on 12th; mean, 63.65. Port Simpson—Highest temperature, 77.4

For school opening, new rubber slate cleaners, 5c. each; best thing yet. Victoria Book and Stationery Co., Ltd.

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### NORTH SAANICH

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Fears are being entertained at Honolulu for the safety of the schooner Charles Levi Woodbury of the Hawailan Transportation Company. Nine men were on board, in-cluding Captains Harris and Schlemmer. The United States tug Iroquois left Hono-lulu vesterday to search for the missing vessel.

Petition Tram Company .- The busi-

ness men of Johnson street are circulating a petition to be presented to the tramway company praying that southbound cars on Government street be stopped at the corner of Johnson street when passengers request that such be done, instead of the cars proceeding to the terminal near the corner of Yates street.

Bridge for Klondike.—Six carloads of bridge material from the American Hridge Company's works at Amberg. Pa., are ready for shipment to Dawsen from Vancouver. The material is for the construction of the Klondike Mines railway bridge across the Klondike river near Dawson. The bridge will be four spans in length, without counting the approaches, and the material to be shipped North from here weighs in the aggregate about a hundred and sixty tons. It will be shipped North as soon as possible, as the railway company desires to have it in place before the freeze-up.

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# Library Plans Are Explained

Aid, Fell Chairman of Board Tells of Important Work in Hand.

Walting Arrival of Books From England -- Late Mr. Peerse's Bequest.

Alderman Fell, in an interview yes terday with a Colonist reporter on the subject of the closing of the Victoria public library and the completion and opening of the new Carnegie library,

dependent upon the arrival of the new books from England. They are due in October, and when here and when such October, and when here and when such of the old books as may be found it for issue and admixture with the new volumes have been sorted out, the new building will be formally opened. A special children's room and a special reference library room will be eventually arranged for. In the latter of course the books will not be allowed to leave the library.

in "A code of new rules has been compiled upon an improved system, and these rules will be stringently exacted from the borrowers. All borrowers will be bound under a new form of guarantee, the terms of which will be strately enforced. The rules are already drafted and almost ready for the printer.

"One great drawback is that of the books in the old library, many are unfit to mix with the new, whilst many require to be rebound, and many, again, are only fit for the rulbish heap. Unfortunately there is only the sum of \$750 to 8500 had to be spent in furnishing the bluidling.

"The unstairs, however, will have to "Fears are being entertained at Honolulu."

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\$750 to \$800 had to be spending the building.

"The upstairs, however, will have to remain unfurnished for the present for lack of funds; and with regard to the children's room, desirable as such an institution is, it must remain in abeyance

stitution is, it must remain in abeyance for the same conclusive reason.

"The library board received \$50,000 from Mr. Carnegie originary, this they exceeded in the estimates by \$2,500, which they asked him to pay and he did 60. Then there was \$800 for fencing, \$500 for furnishing and \$750 only for The Woodbury sailed from Honolulu for Luysan, for a cargo of guano, and 4s long overdue on her return trip. She left Laysan on July 13, with the schooner Lavinia. On July 16 the vessels separated in a gale which damaged the Lavinia, who

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# Movements of The Big Liners

Manuka Salled Yesterday For Australia-Shawmut Is Due From the Orient.

Yangtzse's Big Cargo-Indianapolis to Run on Sound Route -Volant Wrecked.

The steamer Shawmut, of the Boston Steamship Company, is due from Manila and Oriental ports today. She has 600 tons of general freight for this port. The Union Steamship Company's steamer Manuka left yesterday from the ocean dock for Sydney via the usual ports, carrying a full cargo of Canadian products. She had about 2,000 tons of miscellaneous freight, including machinery, lumber, salmon, paper, whiskey, furniture, agricultural implements, etc. At the ocean dock she loaded 130 tons of salmon and 3,000 sacks of new potatoes from California. The passengers who sailed on the steamer were: C. C. von Arnheim, Dr. Evans, T. Dunn, T. Dwyer, Henderson brothers, F. R. Jaggar and wife, A. Schurr, Thomas Kenan, H. F. Delhill, Major Payne, Mrs. Chisholm, E. G. Jellicoe and wife, Warren Clark Baird, Miss Grau, E. G. White and wife, H. Isenberg and wife, A. Mathes, P. Brier and wife, E. Wood and wife, Stodenhoff, Capt. Robertson, J. P. Wood and two children, A. Sasse and wife, E. Hill, Miss P. Wells, Miss Ballantyne, B. Buchanan and wife, Miss Rodfurne, Mrs. Gibson and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Gill, Miss Waddington, Miss Bell, J. Lothian and wife, J. C. Tate, F. W. Newberry, F. Berry, A. F. Mayer, J. Edward, J. W. Clough, W. H. Kent, H. B. v. is and wife, Dr. Carlton, Dr. Metc. T. Wulters, M. A. Will-

eral years before the institution is in full working order

"We have closed the old library temporarily in order to get books in and have them overhauled, destroying such as are unsanitary and beyond repair. We shall start with 600 new books. What we shall get out of the old remains to be so. We should have liked to open with at least 2,000 volumes, which is not much amongst 1,200 borrowers.

"By the will of the late B. W. Pearse the library received a valuable bequest. The terms of the will are as follows:

"As to my library books, on the death of my wife I give to each of my acphews 25 volumes and the remainder to the public library of Victoria, provided that the books be duly catalogued and placed together by themselves, and that they be accessible only to people with clean hands and who will use them

to secure a faster steamer. The Call says:

"Since the company reached the decision mentioned, a lookout has been a secure of the constant of the constant of the constant of the Atlantic offered little that would answer. On the great lakes the company's emissary found a steamer calculated to fit into the niche here on the Sound to a dot. The steamer in question is named the Indianapolis, now running out of Chicago on a 17-knot schedule. This vessel is less than a year old, is built entirely out of steel and is fitted with 1500 horse-power engines driving a single screw. The Indianapolis is 180 feet in length, beam 32 feet. She is built along the latest approved speed lines, and, as stated above, is capable of maintaining nineteen knots. Her advent on the Sound will give the Puget Sound Navigation Company the fastest vessel on the coast with the only exception of the Princess Victoria, which is credited with twenty knots or better.

which is credited with twenty knots or better.

The part of the announcement which will prove of the greatest interest to the people of Port Townsend is the fact that the vessel will make this port her headquarters and will, in the main, confine her route to the run between Seattle and Port Townsend. Mr. Tibbals stated that the Indianapolis will lay here nights, leaving this port for Seattle in the morning and making two round trips daily, negotiating the distance each way in a few minutes over two hours. The Indianapolis is a daylight boat, no staterooms being provided. Instead she has all the advantages of the fered by up-to-date boats of this class, the passengers having every opportunity for observation from the elegantly appointed cabins.

While the deal for the purchase of the Indianapolis has not been fully

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closed, but a few minor details remain to be adjusted before the vessel exchanges ownership. If nothing interferes with the closing of the deal the vessel will leave the lakes on her long voyage around the Horn to this port not later than September 15th. It is calculated that sne will make the trip, including stops for coal, in three months. Upon arrival she will be placed in dry-dock for cleaning and repairs and will first be seen on the route between here and Seattle at the beginning of the next summer season.

REDUCED WHEAT RATE.

Oriental Lines Make Same Rate for the Carriage of Flour.

A reduction of \$1 a ton in the freight rate on wheat shipped from Puget Sound to Japanese ports has been announced by the steamship companies operating between these polats. To Shanghal the rate is reduced from \$5.50 a ton to \$5. Herotofore the rate to Japanese ports on wheat has been \$5 a ton. The reduction was announced yesterday and goes into effect immediately.

Late in July the Oriental steamship companies announced a reduction of \$1 a ton in the four rate to the Orient, giving as the reason competition offered by Australian four and the cheap rates made by the tramp steamships. This reduction went into effect August 15.

The reasons for the reduction in the wheat rates are said to be the same as those prompting the reduction in the flour rate, and the agreement between the various steamship companies to maintain the mew figures holds only during the balance of the present year.

VOLANT IS WRECKED.

Schooner is a Total Loss in Vicinity of the Kuskokwim River.

of the Kuskokwim River.

Word has been received at the Merchants' Exchange of the wreek and tota' loss of the schooner Volant, near Kuskokwim. She was bound from that port to Puget Sound, when she ran on the rocks and quickly broke up. Her crew was rescued. The schooner Volant salled from Kuskokwin, Alaska, for Port Angeles, July 11. The Volant was bullt in 1883, and was owned by H. C. Lassen, of San Francisco. Her capacity was 164 tons.

TO CALL AT WRANGEL.

Princess May Will Carry Hudson's Bay Freight on Next Trip.

On the wext northern sailing of the C.
P. R. steamer Princess May from this port, which is scheduled for August 24, she will make a special call at Weangel for the purpose of landing about 100 tons of Hudson's Bay Company freight, which is to be shipped from Victoria. This freight will be taken from Wrangel by the Hudson's Bay Company's steamer Mount Royal, and run up the Skeena river as far as Glenora, and thence taken overland to various Hudson's Bay posts in that district. Several passengers will also leave here for Wrangel on the May.

### FROM WEST COAST.

party of students which has been engaged in botanical work at Port Renfrew for some days past. Other passengers were: J. Thorpe, T. Nelson, J. Freeman, Mrs. McDougal, J. Pierson and wife, J. Ridland, H. A. Bunson (C. Smith, M. Clark, L. Cottrell, J. Pool, Mrs. Plaskett, Capt. Huff, J. Dickinson, L. Wood and Mr. Bailey The steamer was expected to bring ore from the Gladys mine, but owing to a breakage of the mine's maching and the control of the mine's machine.

British Board of Trade Says Claus of Act Does Not Apply.

# MARINE NOTES.

British Columbia ports.
Steamer Trader arrived at the ocean docks yesterday to discharge a cargo of cement from Tod lulet.

The steamer Comeric, which carried a full cargo of sack coal from Ladysmith to Cape Nome, reached port yesterday from the Arctic port in bullast after an uneventful trip. The Comeric proceeded to Comox, where she will load bunker coal, and will then proceed to Portland to load lumber for Panama. According to news month of storms in the vicinity of Cape Nome, and during that month all steamers had much difficulty in discharging cargoes at Cape Nome, Solomon and St. Michael.

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nstruments, Rev. Wm. Blow, M.A., Rector of Kelvedon, Essex. Messrs, Mason & Risch, Toronto, Canada:

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Henry Watterson in Courier-Journal

There is a very marked difference in the text and no headlining to distort the

the credit of London as against New

There is a very marked difference in the make-up of the London newspapers, and, let us say, the New York newspapers. None of the great dailies of London use display type as it is used in America. They affect bookwork in their topography as well as their composition.

Another point of difference much to be made to say. There is no reason why good editorial writing should not exercise the clearm it once did, if not the power.

# Fettered Farmers

Rider Haggard on the Plight of the British Farmer.

"How to get the people on to the land so that it may yield them food, and so that it may yield them food, and so that we may arrest the awful staryation, misery and human decay occurring in our cities—that," said Rider Haggard to our representative, "is the greatest problem of today. It seems to me to be the one matter of supreme national importance and urgency. A hideous blot is on our civilization. The future of our race is menaced. To help to put matters right is, it seems to me, the highest social service a man can render."

By that utterance—carnest, amost impussioned—is set forth at the head of this article in defiance of due narrative sequence.

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seeing Rider Haggard, our re-

"Thank you. And now, eliminating transatlantic farm colonies from our view, will you give our readers the benefit of your mature experience and reflections regarding English'agriculture and its possibilities of development?" "My conclusions on that point," replied the tall novelist-farmer, "lie in a nutshell. The land, if its vital potertialities are to be realized, must be re-

peased from its financial fetters. The paralyzing penalties of industry must imitigated. High rents are bad enoug but look at the accumulation of oth burdens. The rates! Good heavens, show they go up and up, and still a Then there is the tithe, and there a also the heavy railway charges. Air gether, the long list of demands is: effective clog on agricultural industr Farmers cannot fight against the unfactors. Their possible margin of profit so slender that a late frost or a diffortinght, in ruining one crop, may it

prosperity induced by improved methods?"

he wanted to go "back to the states and so they called it the Homestake. Mose Manuel

Mose Manuel

Miner and Prospector

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The death of Mose Manuel, discoverer of the greatest gold mine in the world, brings to the minds of old-timers stories of him and of his famous discovery.

It is noticeable that as he worked for the greater part of his life in the mines, and he had made his money and his living in theim, his death should have come to him there. At the foot of a deep shaft in the Minnesota mine, some fifteen miles from Helena, Montana, Mose Manuel as many a poor miner before him had done, encounter-miner before him worked it for a year before they sold it at last to the late Senator George Hearst. There never was another man like Mose Manuel, the old-timers say. Nobody knows many men he kept alive that terrible winter of '76-7, when the placers could not be worked, when there was no payroll, no companies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, and no money in campanies operating them, as now, Found the Homestake.

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miner before him had done, encountered the day of the difference of the escaping gas from the gasoline and the escaping gas from the gasoline and key the light of his candle, and died in the resulting explosion.

With his death passes away one of the best and most typical of the old-time miners and prospectors of the West. In the spring of 776 Mose Manuel and his brother Fred found some rich float near where the town of Lead is now located. They little dreamed that they were about to bring to light the greatest gold-bearing lode known to the world. The snow was still on the ground, and, search as they might, but there was not a search ground, and, search as they might have could not follow the track of the float. After a while the snow melted and Mose wanted to start out again and look for the lode, but his partner with the greatest gold-bearing lode known to the world. The snow was tell on the ground, and, search as they might have could not follow the track of the float. After a while the snow melted and Mose wanted to start out again and look for the lode, but his partner with the tears in his eyes and said: "Hank, this partner with the tears in his eyes and said: "Hank, this grainer was then in common use, and meant more of it, but Heavist, with that far-sightedness that made him money to take a fellow where the farm that had been and most to take a fellow where the farm that fire the son of Lordon, and was born in given them through the owner's gent a general store. He studied for the first melting store. He for the Methodis ministry, and was for the Methodis ministry, and was for the Methodis ministry, and was for the Methodis ministry, and appears to be resided to mention in missionary work in the Methodis ministry, and appears to be resided to mention in missionary work in the Methodis ministry, and appears to be resided on the ministry, and appears to be resided to mention in missionary work in the Methodis ministry, and appears to be residued to the method of the case of the method of the case of the

from Mose Manuel's claim by men who had no right or title to it, except that given them through the owner's generosity and big-heartedness. There was a claim adjoining the Homestake, since incorporated into the latter mine, that was evidently rich. Manuel knew

SMOG.

A new word, "smog," was coined by the British Congress of Health in Lou-don last week. It means a mixture of smoke and fog, a mixture to which Lon

Portrait of Cheops

Important Find Made by C. T. Currelly, Toronto

by successive Pharaous on the rocks in which the turquoise mines were driven. These sculptures were being destroyed rapidly by the Arab miners, who are once more working the old veins. Some tablets were known to have already per ished, and among them the portrait of Cheops, which our previous expedition, after long search, had given up as hopelessly lost. When Mr. Currelly returned to Wady Maghara to cut out these inscriptions, I (who had also been with 170°C. Petrie) went with him, and I doubt if anyone else can appreciate the difficulties which he overcame in the transport of material and supply of labor among those barren mountains and exasperating natives. Almost at the end of our task, I happened to notice a fragment of inscription in a pile of stones on the hillside, and drew Mr. Currelly's agra among those parished by a synsperating natives. Almost at the end of our task, I happened to notice a fragment of inscription in a nile of stone on the hillside, and drew Mr. Currelly's attention to it. He had the heap turned over stone by stone, with the result that the fragments were discovered of the missing tablet, which had been destroyed quite recently. They are now in Cairo, and can be fitted together again, while the face of the Pharaob has, most fortunately, scaped injury. This is the more gratifying as, except for an ivory statucte, it is the only portrait of him known. Mr. Currelly, therefore, deserves the gratifude of all scholars, for not only has be rescued the portrait of Cheops, but has sayed from imminent destruction the most inmortant series of abeient Egyptian portraits that exist.

Mr. Currelly is the son of John Currelly, now of Toronto, and was born in Exeter, Ont., where his father for meny years kept a general store. He studied for the Methodist ministry, and was for some time in missioners work in the Northwest. He joined Mr. Petric's ex-

# Oyama and Goth Leaders

Many Parallels in Lives of Alaric and Great Japanese Soldier

# Medical and Scientific

Dr. T. L. Macdonald, in American Medicine (Philadelphia): "The strenuous life, excessive mental activity, and

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AN IDAHO GOAT MAN'S EXPERI ENCE.

J. H. Smith, who owns 320 acres near Freece, Idaho, has fully demonstrated the fast that Angora goat-raising is not only a source of revenue, but affords a most yahubla means of demonstrated

# In His Mind :

Khan in Hamilton Herald 

There is not a bad man on earth but would like to be a decent citizen in his mind. He would narry a decent girl in his mind; he would furnish her with a nice home in his mind. Ah! it is in his mind, and in mind. The his mind he has a garden and an orchard, a cow and a flock of heas, and beautiful children and a runabout auto. In his Mind he brings be me beautiful things, and goes to church with his wife on Sunday, and voices the sentiful control of the poor, she even built a little emission church, she isled euphoards, she even built a lossital—in her mind!

And when she got good and busy the Recording Angel sent out for another typewriter. mind. He would marry a deceut girl in his mind; he would furnish her with a nice home in his mind. Ah! it is in his mind. In his mind he has a garden and an orchard, a cow and a flock of hens, and beautiful children and a runabout auto.. In his Mind he brings bome beautiful things, and goes to church with his wife on Sunday, and voices the sentinent of the responses: "For there is none other that fighteth for us, only Thou, O God."

4 "On his mean pallet in the noisome

Thou, O God."

("On his mean pallet in the noisome boarding-house where he is hiding, or in his cold and dreary cell, could you but look into his Mind, you would see beautiful and stainless things. Purefaced women, beautiful children, lovely flowers. You would see his other self seated on a vine-clad porch at eventime, with his wife seated at his feet on the step crooning to the child."

A great crane went slouching through the evening sky, his long legs stretched out behind him, his great voice booming discordantly like unskilful strokes on a loose drum. The bats came forth

ing discordantly like unskillul strokes on a loose drum. The bats came forth and floundered drunkenly through the gathering twilight. A big Boss Tond, portly, complacent, wise, hopped absurdly on the gravel walk.

only a source of revenue, but affords a most valuable means of cleaning land. One year ago last spring he brought from Kalispell to his ranch 196 head of Angeras, paying \$6 for the ewes and \$10 for the bucks. It does not require much attention to care for the flock, as they thrive well among young trees and noxidus weeds, thus aiding materially in cleaning the land. "During last winter I fed to my 196 goats not to exceed twelve tons of hay, and yet they were in the best of condition." said Mr. Smith. This spring his flock had increased to 360, nearly 100 percent. The clip which has just been taken off weighed 980 pounds, five panuls to the fleece. Mr. Smith is now delivering this on board the cars billed for Minneapolis, at fifty cents per pound.

Spenking of thele benefit to new land, Mr. Smith said: "Goats are easily kept, as they are of a hardy mature and get the greater share of their living from almost waste land. They prepare the way for clean stock farms and are quite valuable in preparing lorged off lands.

the greater share of their living from almost waste land. They prepare the way for clean stock farms and are quite valuable in preparing logged off lands for cultivation. Thousands could be raised with profit on the lands now bening cleared along the Palouse river. I shall dispose of part of my flock to some neighbors, and ere long every farm will have its flock of Angoras. There is no danger of overproduction in the great business, as the markets are not now supofied with the animals or their products. Either the milch or Angora breed can be profitably raised here. I have lost but four during the year."

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A merchant would not expect to lease or build a big storebuilding as cheaply as a small one; but it sometimes happens that he imagines he can keep the big store full of buyers with the same expenditure for publicity as he would make for the smaller store. Nobody knows just why the merchant is ever seized with this aberration—but unless he quickly throws it off he finds himself "taking the count," with the sheriff holding the watch.

To fill a big store, every business day, with buyers is the same problem as that of filling the little store, or the any-size store; the solution, in any case, being "adequate (sufficient) publicity," and, incidentally, no store ever had this—and charm of storekeeping is partly in the fact that no one has yet sounded its possibilities—as no store has been advertised as fully and persistently and aggressively and enthusiastically as it might have been. undan seria arakan karan kan arakan baran kan arakan kan arakan kan arakan kan baran kan baran kan baran kan b

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# Across Niagara in Basket

From the Hollday Magazine.

mercial and social life that been so successful at every turn. He writes:

"One of the most remarkable events that has accurred in the world's history is the battle of Mukdet, remarkable because it was the mightiest had battle ever fought, and startling because no victory was ever won by such scientific methods. Feats were accomplished by the Japanese never before contemplated in war, and which had been previously declared by military experts to be impossible. The success of the victorious forces was almost entirely due to the skilfful use of what is today considered to be one of the most ordinary and commonplace among electrical mistra ments—the telephone.

"Formerly, a large lattle was to a certain extent a haphazard, hicand-miss affair, the careful foresight of the most skilfful general falling to take into account the many accidents and incidents which would in almost a moment after the entire aspect of things and change at successful movement into an utter failure. Not so now, however, as by means of the telephone it is possible for the commanding officer to keep in touch with each individual unit of an enormously large army, and thus to make the best use of all portions of it at all times, thereby obtaining the greatest possible effect with the least expenditure of energy."

That the battle of Mukden furnishes

effect with the least expenditure of energy."

That the battle of Mukden furnishes a particularly good example of such use of the telephone is asserted by Mr. Sullivan. It was the belief of the Russians that the Japanese would not fight in the open. Playing on this belief Oyama used a movement through the hilly country to the south and east, to mask a flanking movement through the plains west of the city. To do this, his forces were disposed in a crescent ninety miles long and divided into five sections, each of which was in telephonic communication with the general staff. The Japanese general thus had his entire army in perfect control, and operated it as a huge machine, effecting his purpose and ranning a decisive victory. Says the writer:

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Winning a Battle By Telephone

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Honey	6	3	9	33.3	1
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Lime-juice	0	7	7	100.0	
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sugar	13	10	23	43.5	ď
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the Japanese of ordinary general and social life that they have mercial and social life that they have been so successful at every turn. He writes:

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# IRVING'S DEBUT FIFTY YEARS AGO

At this time—and, though more has been written of the career of Sir Henry than of any other living English actor, the story of these early days has an unfailing fascination—John Henry Brodrib, as he was then known, had not only left Dr. Pinche's school in George Yard, Lombard street, where, by the way, he scored his first elocutionary triumph by his recitation, "The Uncle," and was driving a distastsful quill from the eminence of a high stool in a city office.

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driving a distasteful quill from the eminence of a high stool in a city office.

And an unprofitable clerk the already tage-struck boy must have been; for he was more intent on learning parts from plays smuggled among the leaves of his bedger than on striking accurate balances between debit and credit. This is the account he gives of his artifices and his difficulties:

"I know that one day I started to learn a piece on my way to the office. I couldn't leave it. Every moment when the manager's eye was not on me out came my book. I made up my mind to finish it that day. During my dinner-hour I went and hid myself in a huge packing-case. The hour went by and I knew it not. It appears that they were searching everywhere for me, and it was just on six o'clock before they came across me in the box."

Of course, for such an incorrigible

ocross me in the box."

Of course, for such an incorrigible youth there was nothing for it but to wipe the office dust off his feet and make his way as soon as possible behind the beloved footlights, "Stick to your desk, boy." the great Phelps growled when asked for his advice and help; but young Irving was not frightened by the stage thunder. He put himself under the tuition of a friendly old actor called Hoskins; and when he thought the time was ripe he turned his back on London and 'Phelps' promised employment at Sadler's Wells, and made his first bow to the public from the stage of a Sunderland theatre in 1856.

It was the first night of the new

in 1856.

It was the first night of the new theatre, which, curiously enough, was the Lyceum; it was the first time Richelieu had been played in Sunderland; and to young Brodrib, as Gaston, Duke of Orleans, fell the opening and singularly appropriate lines, "Here's to our new enterprise!" It was said that the young actor fainted outright from sheer nervousness, and that long years after he

on the tombs of her Scattish ancestors in the chapel of Holyrood, used the spelling "Stewart," and there can be no question that this is, at least, the more ancient one. As a matter of fact, there are four ways of spelling the surmane in question: Steward, Stewart, Stewart, and Stuart. The first is the most modern. The name as spelt by the Scottish Royal family for several centuries was Stewart, and was derived from the office of Lord High Steward of Scotland, which they had held for more than a hundred years before they came to the throne through the alliance with the family of Bruec. The spelling "Stewart" was due partly at least, to the letter "n" being sometimes used for "w." The latest spelling, Stuart, is traceable to the Scottish connection with France, and Mary Queen of Scots was the first of her race whose family name was so spelt.

THE NATURAL TERM OF LIFE.

Public Opinion.

A counterblast to Dr. Osler's theory that at forty a man's work is practically done, and at sixty he had better seek enthances and at sixty he had better seek enthances and at sixty he had better seek enthances and at sixty he had better seek enthances, and the office of the underskined, until Mondapparently, the way to ensure the century is to be relieved in the prime of life of anxiety as to the future. Life assurance, in his opinion, has, by removing a load from men's minds, assisted to prolong existence. Old age pensions would serve the same end. But who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. Only who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. Only who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. Only who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. Only who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. Only who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. On the cities an addition to the province of the physical state to which elvillantian who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. On the cities and the province of the physical state to which elvillantian who is to provide them? They would add to the burdens of one class in order to remove the uncertainties of another. On the cities and the



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Dated this 19th day of July, 1905.

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NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria at their next sitting as a Licensing Court, for a transfer of the license now held by me for the sale of spirituous and fermented linners by retail, upon the premises site and known as the "Victoria Hotel," to W. A. Millington and F. A. Wolfenden.

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